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ENGLISH ATTITUDE GROWS DANGEROUS

Messages Hurry Between the Queen and Salisbury.

CABINET WILL MEET FRIDAY

An Ultimatum Probable That Will Mean War or Backdown.

CHAMBERLAIN AT OFFICE ALL NIGHT

Answer of Transvaal Is a Strong Presentation of the Boers' Side of the Case—England Is Accused of Wanting Everything.

London, September 7—4 a. m.—The colonial office officials were busy until after 3 o'clock this morning. Dispatches have been passing by special messengers between the queen and Lord Salisbury for the last few days.

The Times advises the government to convoke parliament immediately, if necessary to vote the needed supplies, adding that a "further loss of time may be dangerous and humiliating."

Today's news sheds no new light on the Transvaal crisis. The signs which the English are accustomed to see just previous to a war continue, and from these any number of sensational deductions may be drawn.

General opinion trends to the belief that the cabinet council will result in an ultimatum, followed by an immediate backdown by the Boers, or the immediate commencement of hostilities by Great Britain.

Mr. Chamberlain remained at the foreign office until shortly before midnight. He declined to make a statement regarding the Transvaal situation, but expressed a desire to see a copy of the following transcript of the Transvaal government's reply, issued by the Transvaal agent in Brussels tonight, which was forwarded to him by the Associated Press:

Kruger's Reply to Chamberlain.

"In reply to the last dispatch of the British government, the Transvaal government on Saturday handed to the British agent in Pretoria a response, of which the following is a purport:

"The government of the South African republic regrets that Great Britain is of the opinion that it is unable to accept the proposals made by the Transvaal in the dispatches of August 19 and 21, by which the term for obtaining the franchise was fixed at five years and the representation of the Witwaterstrand district was increased. The government regrets this the more inasmuch as it considered itself able to deduce from the negotiations previous to its formal proposals that the latter would be accepted by the British government. In these conditions of the Transvaal considers its proposals are annulled, and finds it necessary to submit them to the volksraad and the people. It remains of the opinion that its proposals are very liberal and more extensive than those presented by the British high commissioner at Bloemfontein. It is also of the opinion that the conditions attached to these proposals are reasonable.

"The Transvaal never desired Great Britain to abandon any rights possessed by virtue of the London convention of 1884 or by virtue of international law. The Transvaal still hopes that these declarations will lead to a good understanding and a solution of the existing difficulties."

With regard to the question of suzerainty, the Transvaal government refers to the dispatch of April 16, 1898, and considers it unnecessary to repeat that dispatch. The reply proceeds then to say:

Suzerainty Is Discussed.

"The Transvaal government has already made known to the British agent its objections to accepting the proposals contained in the British high commissioner's telegram of August 2, suggesting the appointment of delegates to draw up a report on the last electoral law voted by the volksraad.

"If the one side's examination referred to in the last dispatch should show that the existing electoral law can be made more efficient, the Transvaal government is ready to make a proposal to the volksraad with this object. It is also disposed to furnish all the information possible, but it is of the opinion that the result of such an inquiry, so far as regards a useful appreciation of the law, will be of little value. Nevertheless, the government is very desirous of satisfying Great Britain in the matter of the electoral law and the representation of the mining districts."

The Brussels agent of the Transvaal claims that, in making its recent proposals, the Transvaal government has acted on the advice of the British agent in Pretoria, Conyngham Green.

KRUGER TELLS HIS POSITION.

Oom Paul Says the English Are Very Much at Fault.

New York, September 6.—The World will publish tomorrow the following dispatch from Paul Kruger, president of the South African republic, in response to a message sent by that paper:

"I gladly accede to your request to present the Boer side to the American. The present agitation against this republic emanates partly from a certain section of British residents to whom the existence of the republic, which embraces the most flourishing parts of south Africa, is a standing eyesore, and who suffer from the prevailing jingo mania, partly also from mining capitalists, who, not content with having the best mining laws in the world, wish also to have complete control of all legislation and administration.

"The franchise voting question was taken up by England because it was thought the republic would not yield on that point. Now that the altered franchise does not materially differ from the American—it is in many respects easier—the agitation has become worse. The object clearly is the destruction of our republic and the complete control of the richest mines in the world.

"The press, entirely controlled by capitalists, spreads unprecedented misrepresentation and prejudice throughout the world against the Boer republic.

"We are determined to defend to the utmost the freedom and self-government for which our people have shed blood in every part of south Africa. Though we have no such powerful friend as you proved to Venezuela and to other republics, we have strong faith that the cause of freedom and republicanism will triumph in the end."

JOHANNESBURG IS PREPARED.

Transvaal City Will Be Ready for an Attack.

Johannesburg, September 6.—At a meeting of the war commission held at the fort today, a complete scheme was drafted, it is said, for protecting and provisioning the town in the event of hostilities.

Commander Viljoen, of the Transvaal forces, says that martial law will be proclaimed immediately on the receipt of an ultimatum from Great Britain and a tribunal has been established to assume the necessary functions when the state of siege is proclaimed.

BRITISH COMMANDER ARRIVES

General Forrester Is Given an Ovation at Cape Town.

Cape Town, September 6.—Lieutenant General Sir Frederick Forester Walker, who relieves General Sir William Francis Butler as commander of the British troops in South Africa, arrived here today. He was met by cheering thousands and given a splendid reception.

WILL NOT TAKE MEN BACK.

Chattanooga Street Car Strike Comes to the Surface Again.

Chattanooga, Tenn., September 6.—Quite a stir was created among the electric street railway employees by the rumor that the company was going to reinstate the recently discharged union men. The non-union men who remained with the company when the union men quit, met and decided that if the locked out men were re-instated they would quit.

The company announced today that they would not take any of the discharged men back under any circumstances, and all is serene again.

DEWEY IS AT GIBRALTAR.

Admiral Lives Ashore Preparatory to His Long Trip.

Gibraltar, September 6.—Admiral Dewey spent most of the day at the Hotel Bristol, where he is living ashore, receiving a constant stream of visitors. He has declined all dinner and public invitations, as he is suffering from indigestion.

This afternoon he drove to the governor's summer residence, where he took tea. He will probably sail for the United States on Sunday next.

NATAL DAY TO BE CELEBRATED

Preparations for Anniversary of Mexican Freedom.

City of Mexico, September 6.—Preparations on a grand scale for the celebration of the national anniversary of independence are being made. Triumphal arches erected by the different states of the republic are being constructed at various points in the city and there will be a procession of troops with many allegorical cars.

ISSUE OF FILIPINO MONEY.

Rebel Money to Amount of $3,000,000 Is Out.

Manila, September 6—5:50 p. m.—The recent issue of Filipino paper money amounts to $3,000,000. The acceptance of this issue is made obligatory and the bills are made redeemable in three years.

The insurgents have issued a call upon property owners in the interior to supply gratis to the insurgent army carts, horses and cattle.

MRS. E. A. GREER PASSES AWAY

Relative of the Late Alex Stephens Dies at Opelika, Ala.

Opelika, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. E. A. Greer, a widow, died here today at an advanced age, at the residence of her sons, Messrs. Charles and Ed Odom.

She was relative of the late Hon. Alex Stephens, of Georgia.

McKINLEY IN TRADES UNION.

President's Membership, However, Is Made Conditional.

Chicago, September 6.—President McKinley was today elected a member of the Bricklayers and Stone Masons' International Union, No. 21, of Chicago.

President Gubbins, of the union, said that since the chief executive was to lay the corner stone of the new postoffice, it was necessary he should join the union before he is allowed to handle a trowel in Cook county. A card of honorary membership was made out for the president today, but it will not be forwarded to him until the matter has been further discussed.

"We will have to take the card away from him," said Secretary Stamm today, "if Mr. McKinley sets a stone prepared by non-union labor, which the stone intended for the corner of the new postoffice it. He will be deprived of all the benefits of the union, and we, as a national organization, will strike on any building in any part of the United States at which he may lay a corner stone or does any construction work."

JIMINEZ IS IN HIGH FAVOR.

Insurgent Leader Departs for Santiago with His Friends.

Puerto Plata, San Domingo, September 6.—General Imbert was installed in the palace today as provisional governor of the city.

General Jiminez has gone to Santiago de Los Caberollos. The people of the interior and of the capital continue ardently for Jiminez.

JOHANNESBURG STREET SCENE.

The Leading City of the Transvaal, Which Is Being Hastily Fortified Against Probable Attack by English.

TRUSTS MAKE WAR ON ONE ANOTHER

Ally of Standard Oil Co. Horrified at Pure Oil Co.

COMMISSION IS IN SESSION

Mr. Boyle Says Prices Are Not Lowered To Destroy Competition.

ADMITS THE PRICE HAS DEPRECIATED

Standard Oil Co. Says the Pure Oil Co. Is Far More Secretive in Its Business Methods.

Washington, September 6.—The industrial commission resumed its sittings in this city today, P. C. Boyle, editor of The Oil City Derrick, which he said was the organ of the oil producers generally, read a statement at great length. It was a general review of the history of oil production in the United Staes.

Mr. Boyle gave a history of the construction of the various lines connected with the oil industry for the purpose, as he said, of showing how consolidation was ultimately reached.

By 1877 competition had become so sharp that the pipe lines were not able to sustain themselves, so they consolidated under the name of the United Pipe Line Company, with a capital of $3,000,000, which was a part of the Standard Oil system.

There had been a constant increase of production soon after this consolidation until 1885, when there was a daily production of 82,000 barrels, with the necessary result of a rapid decline in prices. This condition caused the organization of the producers' protective association, which is in existence today. This organization was separate from the Standard Oil Company, though working in harmony with it. As a result of this consolidation, crude oil advanced twenty-nine cents per barrel. There had, however, not been a corresponding increase in the price of the refined oil.

Mr. Boyle said that while he had heard a great deal of the reduction of prices by the Standard company to destroy competition, he knew nothing of any such practice.

Since 1870, he said, the production of oil had increased 400 per cent, while the price had depreciated 75 per cent.

Speaking of the Pure Oil Company, Mr. Boyle said it had become a veritable trust, being in reality the oil trust. It was, he said, far more secretive in its methods than the Standard. Mr. Boyle reflected rather severely upon the independent companies. Mr. Boyle will continue his statement tomorrow.

The industrial commission will send its sub-commissioners on manufactures, on transportation and on agriculture to Chicago and other points west sometime during the autumn to conduct inquiries as to the conditions that severally interest them in that section of the country.

The sub-commission on agriculture found at its sitting in the west that the agricultural ills in that section are largely associated with the transportation problem, and that there is work for the transportation sub-commission to attend to there.

DISPENSARY MEN ARRAIGNED.

Officers Charged with Favoring Certain Breweries.

Columbia, S. C., September 6.—(Special.)—A sensation was sprung at the meeting of the dispensary board today by charges filed by Captain J. C. Black against Commissioner Douthet and Superintendent Bryant.

Commissioner Douthet according to the charges, has been giving away dispensary liquors and wines without accounting for the same. Then when orders were sent in by dispensers for Savannah, Atlanta and other beers, the commissioner substituted the product of a Macon brewery, the inference being that he was interested in that beer. Superintendent Bryant had been selling liquor contrary to law.

After an all day's session, in which it was alleged there was a conspiracy among politicians to break up the dispensary commission, the board accepted excuses and administered a reprimand to the offending officials.

HARDIN HASORDERS TO MOVE REGIMENT

Twenty-Ninth Now at Fort McPherson Will Soon Move.

TEN DAYS OF CAMP LIFE

Acting Inspector General Davis Makes Congratulatory Report.

CONDITION COULD NOT BE BETTER

Southern Boys Demonstrate That They Are Good Soldiers Under Tents as well as on Field.

Washington, September 6.—(Special.)—Within the next ten days the Twenty-ninth regiment of volunteers, recently recruited at Atlanta, will be en route to the Philippines. At the war department it is said that orders have already been issued to Colonel Hardin, commanding, to have his regiment in readiness to move at an early day. This regiment was recently inspected by Captain J. M. K. Davis, acting inspector general of the gulf, and his report has just reached the war department. The report is most favorable. The inspection occupied four days, which was conducted so as to interfere as little as possible with other duties of organization and instruction. This their first review, was most creditable to all concerned. The military bearing and appearance of the men and state of discipline is favorably reported upon by the inspector, and considering the short length of time the regiment has been organized, the men are remarkably proficient in the different drills. Out of forty-three officers and 1,209 enlisted men, twenty-two of the former and 1,023 of the latter were under arms at the inspection. The officers are zealous, forty-three of whom have had previous service, as well as 537 of the enlisted men. All but thirty-five of the men are native born. The inspector in his report says:

"I did not find a single rifle that was not in perfect condition. All the ordnance stores were in fine condition; eight men in a tent, ample space between them; camp thoroughly drained, kitchen organized and food properly prepared, no complaint of rations; the police of all buildings, camp and kitchen excellent; no odor and no flies; altogether most satisfactory."

LYONS LODGES APPLICATIONS.

Registrar of the Treasury Wants Places for Men.

Washington, September 6.—(Special.)—Judson Lyons, register of the treasury, has returned to Washington after a flying visit to Augusta, Atlanta and Savannah. He says he found a strong wave of military enthusiasm prevailing among colored men of the south, and today he filed a large batch of applications for appointments in the regiment of colored volunteers about to be organized: Among the applicants are:

Dr. Whaley, of Savannah; Dr. E. J. Brinson, Americus, and Dr. W. C. Small, Jacksonville, Fla., who want to be assistant surgeons in the colored regiment.

Rev. Samuel A. McNeal, of Atlanta, wants to be chaplain. The latter is indorsed by many of the leading men of Georgia. Ed D. Bacon, Savannah; Albert Tensch and James W. Scully, both white, Atlanta; L. S. Hill, Atlanta; John J. Oliver, Edward Oliver, A. F. Golphin, Charles L. Colton, Augusta; Willis C. Walker, Columbus; Fred D. Jones, Charleston, and R. S. Penn, Edgefield, S. C.

BANKERS TO ELECT HILL PRESIDENT

Cleveland Capitalist Will Be Renominated Today.

GOLD STANDARD INDORSED

Delegates Report Prosperous Condition in All the States.

EXCHANGE FOR HANDLING CHECKS

Representatives of Clearing Houses Recommend Exchange on Checks from Other Cities.

Cleveland, O., September 6.—Walker Hill, president of the American Exchange Bank, of St. Louis, will be chosen as the next president of the American Bankers' Association. The nominating committee so decided at its meeting today. Mr. Hill has been president of the association during the past year.

Alvah Trobridge, president of the North American Trust Company, of New York, will be recommended by the committee for first vice-president.

General Whiting, of Alabama, introduced a resolution, which was passed, recommending that the committee on education be continued, and that it be instructed to present to the executive council a plan for the organization of such an institute as that in London, described by Mr. Cornwell.

At the close of the reading of the reports, E. O. Leach, of New York, vice-president and cashier of the National Union Bank, got the recognition of the chair and in a brief speech presented a set of resolutions which indorse the gold standard. Mr. Leach said that the resolutions would stay the hands of the members of congress. Mr. Leach moved the adoption of the resolutions.

Colonel Myron T. Herrick, of Cleveland, in an enthusiastic speech, seconded the motion. The resolutions were voted on by the assembly and unanimously adopted.

A new feature of the convention was the "call of the states," which took up the latter part of today's session. Without exception the delegates reported prosperous conditions in their respective sections.

The representatives of the various clearing house associations declared unanimously in favor of charging exchange for the handling of checks and drafts from other cities, and steps were taken to carry their recommendation into effect.

REVOLUTION APPEARS AGAIN.

Cruiser Detroit Sent by Navy Department to Venezuela.

Washington, September 6.—After an unusually long period of peace, trouble has again appeared in Venezuela, and a revolutionary movement is now in progress. The information has come to the state department from an unofficial source, but one believed to be trustworthy.

The extent of the movement is not known here, but as there have been for some time past rumors of serious discontent, it would not be surprising if this last manifestation should prove to be of large proportions.

The navy department today sent orders to the Detroit, which has just arrived at Philadelphia from New York, to proceed at once to Laguayra, Venezuela. She will coal and start on the voyage in the course of two or three days. The Detroit should make the run to Laguayra inside of ten days. The presence of an American warship may have a good effect in maintaining the confidence of the resident Americans and other foreigners in their safety. The extent of the disaffection is not known here, though it is said that ever since the last election there have been mutterings on the part of the defeated candidate and his friends.

COACH ROLLS DOWN A BANK.

Two Persons Are Killed and Twenty-Eight Are Injured.

Roanoke, Va., September 6.—Near Narrows, a station on the Radford division of the Norfolk and Western railroad, two coaches of an eastbound passenger trains this morning jumped the track and rolled down a thirty-foot embankment. Two persons were killed and twenty-eight more or less injured. The dead are:

A. B. LUCK, a contractor, of Roanoke.

AN INFANT, name unknown, Bluefields, W. Va.

All the injured will recover. Their wounds are mostly cuts and bruises. They were able to be moved and some continued on their journey. A party of eight were brought to Roanoke tonight and received the necessary medical attention.

It is said the spreading of a rail caused the accident. A wrecking train with physicians from Roanoke was sent to the scene of the werck this noon. Traffic was delayed only a few hours on account of the wreck.

ARMY NURSES IN CONVENTION.

Miss Clara Barton Makes Address on the Occasion.

Philadelphia, September 6.—The National Army Nurses Association met here today. There was an unusually large number of delegates present.

The feature of the session was the appearance of Miss Clara Barton, of the Red Cross Society, who made an address to the members of the association. The annual reports were read.

SAM JONES IS IN CONTEMPT.

Chattanooga Judge Says He Will Have the Evangelist Yet.

Chattanooga, Tenn., September 6.—(Special.)—It developed today that Rev's. Sam Jones and George R. Stuart, the evangelists who have been waging a war against whisky in this city, are in contempt of the circuit court. Judge Estill stated today that the subpoenas issued for them were regular and that their failure to appear put them in contempt of court. He did not decide what he was going to do in the premises, but if it should be found that if they are needed in the prosecution of the investigation of Sunday whisky selling, they will be brought to the city on peremptory process.

BLOODY CRIME IN LOUISIANA.

Unknown Assassins Try To Exterminate Sullivan Family.

Ellisville, Miss., September 6.—News from Bunkerhill, Smith county, today gives an account of another bloody crime committed near there. Bud Sullivan, aged twenty-two years, son of Jesse Sullivan, was shot four times in the breast and head and killed by unknown parties.

Two months ago George Sullivan was shot from ambush and killed in the same settlement, and about he same time a prominent citizen had to leave the neighborhood for fear of being killed, it being customary for these desperadoes to shoot into his house at night. His stock was being shot.

There are, it is said, two factions and this second killing, it is feared, will cause more bloodshed.

COAL CREEK MINERS STRIKE.

Workmen Demand That Company Drop One of Its Purchasers.

Chattanooga, Tenn., September 6.—Two hundred coal miners at the Sale creek mines, in this county, went on a strike today because the company was furnishing coal to the Dayton Coal and Iron Company, whose miners are on a strike for higher wages. The Sale creek men demanded of the company that they refuse to furnish coal to Dayton. The operators rejected the demand and the men laid down their picks. It is stated tonight that there is a prospect of a settlemen of the Dayton strike.

HEAT CENTER AT LITTLEROCK.

Arkansas Capital Is the Hottest Spot in the Country.

Little Rock, Ark., September 6.—The weather bureau's daily bulletin for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning shows that the district of Arkansas, of which Little Rock is the center, was the hottest spot in the United States. The average maximum temperature for the district was officially reported at 102.1. Today was equally hot.

WILLIAM OF GERMANY, ALIEN ARBITER OF FRENCH PEACE

The Salvation of Dreyfus May Depend on the Emperor's Decision.

M. LABORI MAY WITHDRAW

Attorney for Defense Cries Out Against Injustice of Court.

FIERCE COLLOQUY ENSUEDYESTERDAY

It Is the Opinion at Rennes That if Schwarzkoppen Testifies Panizzardi Will Come Also—Without Their Aid Dreyfus May Be Convicted.

Rennes, September 6.—The salvation of Captain Dreyfus hangs on a word from Emperor William. This is the general opinion here tonight. If the kaiser consents to allow Colonel Schwarzkoppen, the Germany military attache at Paris in 1894, to testify before the courtmartial, or to send a deposition or, what is considered still more probable, to allow his deposition to be accompanied by the actual documents mentioned in the bordereau, then Dreyfus is saved.

If the emperor, however, decides that it is not in the interest of Germany for Colonel Schwarzkoppen to intervene then Dreyfus's case is hopeless and his condemnation certain.

Tonight Frenchmen are looking across the frontier to Stuttgart, where the kaiser is staying, and anxiously awaiting his decision. They are in the position of the spectators of a gladiatorial combat in the coliseum in an ancient Rome with Dreyfus dying at the foot of his antagonist and watching whether the emperor points his thumb up or down. At a late hour this evening he had given no sign either way, and Frenchmen are awaiting with breathless interest the first indication of his will.

To all intents and purposes Emperor William holds the peace of France in his hands, for every one anticipates that King Humbert will follow his lead. This is probably the explanation of the delay.

Emperor William has gone to Wurtemburg from Alsace-Loraine, and King Humbert is at Turin. Communication between the two monarchs is, therefore, somewhat complicated and as they will undoubtedly agree upon identical measures in replying to M. Labori's appeal, it is possible that several days will elapse before their decision is known.

Labori Turns Deathly Pale.

An exciting episode of today's sitting was a scene in which M. Labori, General Elliot, Colonel Jouaust and Captain Dreyfus participated. Things had progressed quietly and even monotonously up to that time.

La Dame Blanche with her famous pearls in her ears and around her neck kept whispering to her companion. Others who from the first had taken the keenest interest in every word uttered in the court, seemed bored and the intense heat in the room sent several to sleep.

Suddenly when General Billot in low, even tones, again brought out what many declared is the general's last card, namely the complicity of Dreyfus and Esterhazy, there was a remarkable change of scene.

M. Labori, in terrible excitement, and waving his arms, protested in a ringing voice. Dreyfus, who had been sitting like a statue, also jumped to his feet, despite the restraining hand that a gendarme placed upon his shoulder, and with his face flaming with passion, said, addressing Colonel Jouaust:

"I protest, colonel; I protest against this odious accusation."

M. Labori, at the same time was demanding to be heard, Colonel Jouaust equally determined not to hear him, called out:

"Maitre Labori, I refuse to allow you to speak."

When M. Labori finally gave up and sat down trembling, he was deathly pale.

It is understood that as a result of this scene M. Labori, leading counsel for the defense, wishes to retire from the scene. He is convinced that the judges are utterly hostile to him, and it is said that he has conceived the idea of a dramatic withdrawal at the opening of tomorrow's session. A meeting of M. Labori's friends will be held to decide whether such a step is advisable.

Labori's withdrawal from the case would be tantamount to a public declaration of his feelings that the judges have shown a bias against Dreyfus and his counsel. The opinion of the Drefusards this afternoon appears to be opposed to the contemplated step which they think the anti-Dreyfusards would represent as an admission of the weakness of Dreyfus's case.

Secret Examination of Cernuschi.

The secret examination of M. Eugene de Cernuschi, the Austrian refugee and witness for the prosecution, occupied the time of the courtmartial from the hour of its convening at 6:30 a. m. until 8:30 o'clock.

The public sitting of the court opened at 8:45 a. m. with a brief exchange of unimportant remarks between Maitre Demange and General Roget. Senator Trarieux, formerly minister of justice, was then called to the witness stand. M. Labori questioned Mr. Trarieux with regard to the petit bleu.

M. Trarieux replied that he had examined the petit bleu, which had been the cause of the accusation against Colonel Picquart. If the witness had not known in the first place that the genuine document had been falsified he would not have received Picquart at his house on the day the latter was arrested. The witness had not accused Commandant Lauth any more than others.

M. Trarieux vehemently defended Picquart against the charge of tampering with the petit bleu, the original genuineness of which was proved by the very use to which Picquart had put it when he submitted to his superiors the scheme of decoy letters which he proposed to send to Major Esterhazy, in which was to be introduced the exact wording of the petit bleu.

Picquart, therefore, was a man of untarnished honor when he was prosecuted for forgery. All the evidence showed that Picquart was not connected with the erasures which thus constituted a new forgery and a new device to squelch Picquart.

"I cannot believe," added the ex-minister of justice warmly, "that the number of persons who perpetrated these forgeries was very great. We have discovered one source from which emanated other forgeries. I have not far to go to seek him."

General Zurlinden followed. He explained that he deposed both in the capacity of military governor of Paris and minister of war. He had played a most important part in the Du Paty de Clam, Picquart and Esterhazy cases. The proceedings in the case of Major Du Paty de Clam had caused him great anxiety. The witness wished for more light with regard to the ground upon which revision of the trial of Captain Dreyfus was demanded and the charges emanating from other officers of the general staff against Lieutenant Colonel Picquart. After further explanations by General Zurlinden, M. Labori asked permission to speak.

Labori Squashed by Jouaust.

Colonel Jouaust—"Is it with regard to the evidence of M. Trarieux?"

M. Labori—"It is with reference to the erasure on the petit bleu."

Colonel Jouaust, sharply—"In that case, no. We are trying Dreyfus, not the Picquart case."

M. Labori—"Allow me, Mr. President. It is the question of a document alleged to be a device of Picquart's against Esterhazy, but which the defense maintains constitutes proof of Esterhazy's treachery."

M. Labori pointed out that contrary to General Zurlinden's intimation, the erasure seemed to have assumed considerable importance in his mind.

General Zurlinden replied—"It was myself who discovered the erasure. I first thought it attributable to an attempt to remove a blot, and therefore it did not possess, in my mind, the importance which others attached to it."

M. Labori—"Was the erasure subsequent to the first photograph?"

General Zurlinden, amid intense excitement, admitted that Tavernier inquiry showed that the petit bleu had not been scratched when it reached the statistical section of the intelligence department, and that consequently the erasure was not the work of Lieutenant Colonel Picquart.

M. Labori asked M. Palelogue's permission to read a document belonging to the diplomatic dossier, conclusively proving, as he claimed, the genuineness of the Petit Bleu.

M. Palelogue: "I do not know the document referred to."

M. Labori: "The document relates to a conversation between Del Casse (former prime minister) and Count Von Munster-Ledenburg (German ambassador to Paris), in which the ambassador is reported to have said that Colonel Schwarzkoppen admitted he had sent Major Esterhazy a number of telegraph forms.

M. Palelogue: "I can only confirm M. Labori's statement. There is in the diplomatic dossier a document reciting a conversation between M. Del Casse and Count Von Munster-Ledenburg, who stated that Colonel Schwarzkoppen could not say he had written it himself, because he had not seen it; but the ambassador said he believed that it had been sent by him (Colonel Schwarzkoppen).

Replying to M. Labori, M. Trarieux dwelt at length upon the charges, which he described as fairy tales against Picquart, who had been alleged to be an agent in the pay for the Dreyfus family and whose object, as asserted, was to put Esterhazy, an innocent man, in the place of Dreyfus, the culprit.

M. Trarieux read a letter which he wrote to General Billot June 1, 1894, protesting against these falsehoods. To this letter General Billot had replied that he had not instituted the inquiry.

Colonel Jouaust protested against the vehement language of the witness, who, he said, could not maintain statements affecting judges.

"You are no longer giving evidence," added the president of the courtmartial; "you are delivering a speech for the defense. You have assumed the role of counsel for the defense."

Billot Grows Wrathful.

M. Trarieux: "I regret that this remark should be made to me in such terms when I was merely replying to questions."

General Billot at this juncture arose and strode rapidly to the platform. Speaking with suppressed excitement, he said he regretted he had not heard the first part of M. Trarieux's evidence yesterday; but he was aware that, like today's deposition, it was merely a speech in favor of Dreyfus and Picquart and an accusation against former ministers of war.

M. Trarieux, General Billot said, mentioned things which ought to have been left unspoken as a witness. He desired to associate himself with the protest just made by the president of the court.

Replying to M. Labori, General Billot accepted entire responsibility for the receipt given to Major Esterhazy for the "document liberateur" by the chief of the cabinet and expressed the opinion that even proof of Esterhazy's guilt would not acquit Dreyfus, as several culprits were mixed up in espionage.

M. Labori: "That goes without saying. But excuse me, Mr. President; it has never been said that Dreyfus had an accomplice in Esterhazy. We must know if the prosecution or accusation is approaching that theory."

At this juncture the scene referred to already in which M. Labori was forced by the court to take his seat occurred.

Colonel Jouaust, after quiet had been restored, remarked that if the demonstrations were renewed the courtroom would be cleared. The president of the courtmartial then asked M. Labori if he had any questions to put.

M. Labori: "I speak respectfully, but since it is impossible for me to approach those questions which are the very core of the trial, I reserve the right to adopt such line of action as my responsibility and the rights of the defense compel me to take."

Colonel Jouaust (sharply): "Sit down."

M. Labori: "I resume my seat, but not by order."

Colonel Jouaust: "Call the witness Gallopin."

Major Gallopin, of the artillery, deposed that Dreyfus never asked him for information. He once met Dreyfus carrying a package and asked him what it contained. Dreyfus replied that the package contained secret papers to mobilization, "which," he added, "I am taking to the geographical department to be destroyed as soon as printed."

Dreyfus's Memory Fails Him.

Colonel Jouaust (to the prisoner): "Did you take those papers home?"

The prisoner: "I do not think so."

Colonel Jouaust (to the witness): "Where did you meet Dreyfus?"

"Major Gallopin: "On the Boulevard St. Germain. He was going to the Avenue de L'Alma, where he was staying."

Captain Dreyfus: "There must be some confusion. It was, perhaps, transfer papers."

Colonel Jouaust: "Did you say you were taking the papers home?"

Captain Dreyfus: "I do not remember."

Major Hirsch-Auer (not Hirsch-Amel, as previously written), of the engineers, deposed that in 1894 he heard Dreyfus express the desire, which was very legitimate, to attend the maneuvers.

Captain Dreyfus remarked: "It is possible I expressed regret that I could not attend the maneuvers, but what is certain is that we all know we should not be present."

The evidence of Lieutenant Colonel Du Paty de Clam, which was taken on commission by Magistrate Tavenier, was then read.

Du Paty de Clam said that the order for the arrest of Captain Dreyfus had been distinctly issued quite independent of the dictation test. The witness then described the famous dictation scene, in the course of which he said Dreyfus displayed an emotion, regarding the cause of which there might be differences of opinion, but the fact, the witness asserted, was undeniable, that M. Rochefort, the chief detective of the department, who was present, regarded the prisoner's agitation as an indication of his guilt. With regard to the date of the bordereau Du Paty de Clam expressed the opinion that it must have been written between the 15th and 30th of August, 1894.

Regarding the interview with Dreyfus, Du Paty de Clam declared that he never said to Dreyfus:

"The minister knows you are innocent."

Dreyfus said: "Captain, I know you are believed. I have not opposed it. I know you are an honest man, but I assure you you have made a mistake. Seek what you call my accomplices and what I call the culprits, and you will find them." The prisoner's last word to him was "seek."

The courtmartial adjourned for the day at 11:50 o'clock.

VETERANS BOLT AT ENCAMPMENT

Lively Row Over Admission of Spanish War Veterans.

NEW ASSOCIATION WANTED

New York and New Jersey Camp Walk Out of Convention.

W. C. JOHNSON IS COMMANDER

After Long Discussion the Veterans Selected Chicago as Their Next Encampment City—Very Large Number of Members.

Philadelphia, September 6.—The Grand Army encampment today elected Senior Vice Commander-in-chief W. C. Johnson as commanmer-in-chief to serve the unexpired term of two days of the late Colonel Sexton and selected Chicago for the next annual encampment.

The day's proceedings included also numerous addresses and reports and a significant sparring over the report of the committee on pensions. This report was held in the greatest secrecy. It complains of the construction of the act of 1890 for the relief of the civil war veterans and their widows and orphans not conditioned upon evidence of service disability.

It says the original construction of this was obligated in 1893 by unjust and arbitrary rules, but expresses the confident belief that President McKinley will take measures to bring about a different ruling in the future. It asks that the limit of income sufficient to debar widows be put at not less than $250 a year, and that other rigid conditions be revoked. It repudiates the charges of inflation of the pension roll by fraudulent claims and challenges such assertions.

The report was discussed four hours today, many delegates favoring immediate adoption, but the committee was finally instructed to submit it again tomorrow without recommendations and resolutions.

The annual reports show 287,981 members in good standing on June 30th; losses by death aggregated 7,994 and that 1,672 deserving sick and maimed are not receiving pensions. A plea was made for government attention to 6,682 soldiers' graves unmarked. Numerous auxiliary associations held their annual meetings here today.

Fight Over Recent Veterans.

There were lively times at today's session of the fourteenth annual convention of the Association of National Veterans. A resolution providing for the admission of participants in the Spanish war started a rumpus and the result is that there is now a split in the organization. The leader of the forces in favor of the proposition was Past Rear Admiral B. S. Osborn, of the Farragut Association, New York city.

Surgeon A. Trego Shertzer, of Baltimore, stoutly maintained that the association was organized for the sailors of the civil war only, and should die with them. The vote on the resolution was overwhelming against admitting the men of the late war.

When the result was announced the Farragut delegates from New York and the delegates from the Admiral Boggs Association of Newark, N. J., walked out in a body. It is their intention to start an opposition association to be known as the United States Veteran Navy. The bolters claim that they will get nearly 200 members from the Naval Veterans' Association and will admit to membership all those who were in the navy during the Spanish war. Outside of this episode the convention was a harmonious one.

LARGE ORDER FOR THREAD.

Wilmer L. Moore & Co. Place Big Order in Columbus.

A Big Order on Ball Thread.

It is currently rumored in the mercantile circles of the city that Wilmer L. Moore & Co., have placed with the Eagle & Phenix Mills of Columbus through their agent Mr. C. G. Battle, the largest single order ever received by him. While the exact amount of the order cannot be obtained yet it is stated to reach 100,000 pounds. This amount of raw material would be over 200 bales of cotton. Made into thread makes 3,000,000 balls.

BIRMINGHAM GETS BIG PLANT.

Cast Iron Pipe Works, Supported by Big Capital, Located.

Birmingham, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)RIt is given out on the best authority that a cast iron pipe works plant will be located in the Birmingham district in the near future by James Bowron, vice president and treasurer of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and Railroad company, J. R. P. Dimmock and others. Mr. Dimmock, who was former manager of the United States Car Company's works, at Anniston, will be general manager.

At a meeting held in this city today $175,000 worth of stock was subscribed, principally by gentlemen interested in the Tennessee Coal and Iron and Railway company. The plant will be located either at north Birmingham, east Birmingham or Ensley City. The sum of $350,000 will be expended in the construction of the plant and starting operations. That the plant will be established is an absolute certainty.

It is also stated on very good authority that F. B. Nicholls and associates have finally arranged for the construction of their cast iron pipe plant at Bessemer.

EX-ATTACHE WILL NOT GO.

Schwarzkoppen Says He Will Stay Away from Rennes.

Berlin, September 6.—The local Anzieger publishes an interview with Colonel Schwarzkoppen which is believed to define Germany's policy toward the Dreyfus affair. When asked whether he would go to Rennes to depose, Colonel Schwarzkoppen curtly replied:

"No; I do not think the emperor will permit me to make a statement. Have we not already adopted a line of conduct in the matter? We have done so twice. First our ambassador to France declared that we had nothing to do with the affair. Then Count von Buelow, German minister of foreign affairs, confirmed that statement plainly and distinctly in the reichstag.

"What was the result? One stuck to one's opinion. What good can be done by a further assurance that would have no other result?"

At noon today Colonel Schwarzkoppen said he had not received any communication from Rennes, Paris or German sources.

The semi-official press considers that M. Labori showed want of tact in personally applying to Emperor William. The German foreign office will await the arrival of the French communication through the ordinary diplomatic channels before taking any step.

CHURCH CORNER STONE LAID.

Present Structure Marks an Edifice Erected Fifty Years Ago.

Auburn, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—The corner stone of the new Methodist church was laid today in the presence of several hundred people.

The Masons of Auburn, assisted by representatives from the lodges of the adjoining towns, participated in the ceremony.

An historical oration of the church, which was built just fifty years ago, was delivered by Rev. J. M. Mason in a pleasant and interesting manner. The new church, when completed, will be one of the handsomest in the south.

BELMONT TIRES OF EXPANSION

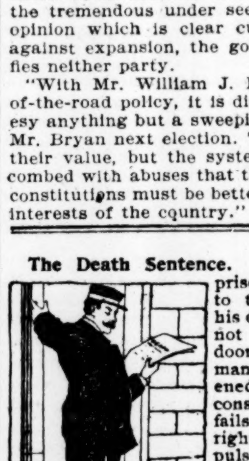
Mr. McKinley's Policy Is Severely Criticised.

London, September 6.—Perry Belmont, previous to his sailing for the United States today on the new White Star line steamer Oceanic, said to a representative of the Associated Press:

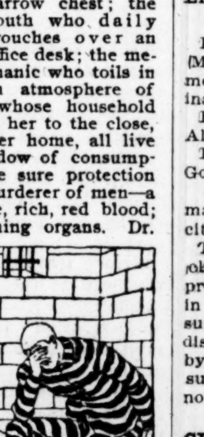
"The country is sick of the jelly fish imperialism of President McKinley. Screeching is all very well, coupled with shouts about a vigorous campaign, but the fact is the administration has not faith in itself. It is boneless and in the face of the tremendous under seething of public opinion which is clear cut for vigor or against expansion, the government satisfies neither party.

"With Mr. William J. Bryan's middle-of-the-road policy, it is difficult to prophesy anything but a sweeping majority for Mr. Bryan next election. The trusts have their value, but the system is so honeycombed with abuses that their powers and constitutions must be better defined in the interests of the country."

The Death Sentence. The wretched prisoner who listens to the reading of his death warrant is not more surely doomed than the man who is threatened with dread consumption and fails to take the right method to repulse its attack.



The child that is born with a shallow, narrow chest; the youth who daily crouches over an office desk; the mechanic who toils in an atmosphere of dust, and the woman whose household duties constantly restrict her to the close, heated atmosphere of her home, all live under the blighting shadow of consumption. There is but one sure protection against this wholesale murderer of men—a sound healthy body; pure, rich, red blood; and clean, clear breathing organs. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes a man hungry, and really hungry men are usually healthy. But that isn't the whole battle—you may fill a stove with fuel, and if the grate is clogged with clinkers and the chimney with soot, you will have no fire. The "Golden Medical Discovery" sees that fuel burns—that the life-giving elements of the food are absorbed into the blood, and that new, healthy tissues are built up in the breathing organs. It prevents consumption by curing all the abnormal conditions which, if neglected lead up to consumption.



Mrs. Josie E. Clark, of Enterprise, Shelby Co., Mo., writes: "I had despaired of ever getting well. I had been in bad health for twelve years. Had aches all through me, numb hands, cold feet, and everything I ate distressed me; bowels constipated, was very nervous, depressed and despondent. I have taken six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and my health is now good."

Constipation disappears while you sleep when you take Dr. Pierce's Pellets.

SEABOARD SYSTEM IN BIG COMBINE

Consolidation Also Includes Florida Central and Georgia and Alabama.

STOCKHOLDERS IN SESSION

Owners of Raleigh and Gaston Accept Amendment.

CONSOLIDATION REGARDED AS CERTAIN

The Amount of Stock and Bonds To Be Issued Will Be Smaller Than That of Any Road in South.

Raleigh, N. C., September 6.—A general meeting of the stockholders of the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad Company was held here this afternoon in the office of the company. It was decided to accept the amendments to the charter granted by the legislature, authorizing consolidation of the various branches of the Seaboard Air Line in this state.

The consolidation of these roads is preliminary to the formation of the Seaboard Railway Company, which will include the Seaboard Air Line system, the Georgia and Alabama Railway Company, the Florida Central and Peninsula Railroad Company.

Consideration of other matters referred to in the call—terms and conditions of the consolidation and increase of the capital stock—together with all questions growing out of the consolidation, was postponed till September 27, when another meeting will be held here.

A resolution was passed ratifying a subscription of about $250,000 that had been previously made to the Chesterfield and Kershaw railroad and authorizing further subscriptions to the stock of this road not to exceed $1,000,000.

The financial plan was not discussed, and it is understood that it has not yet been definitely determined. The amount of stock and bonds to be issued, it is certain, will be smaller than any railroad system in the south.

This is a detail that will be fixed at another meeting, to be held here on September 27, as will also the scale of value of stock in various roads to be consolidated. Each stockholder in any road now owned by the Seaboard will be given in exchange for his stock, stock in the consolidated road—the amount to be fixed by the scale of values yet to be adopted.

Among the stockholders present at the meeting were President John Skelton Williams, Richmond; Vice-President E. St. John, Portsmouth; J. William Middendorf, Baltimore; John M. Sherwood, Portsmouth; Leigh R. Watts, Norfolk; Messrs. McGill & Leavenworth, Petersburg.

They came in on a special train, arriving here at 3:45. They left at 6 o'clock for Atlanta, where a meeting of the stockholders of the Georgia, Carolina and Northern railroad will be held tomorrow. From there they will go to Augusta and thence to Charleston.

The Grip Cure That Does Cure.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets removes the cause that produces La Grippe. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

HENDERSON WILL BE MAYOR.

One of Two Candidates in Anniston Race Has Withdrawn.

Anniston, Ala., September 6.—(Special.) O. Z. Henderson and Frank Nelson, Jr., the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes in yesterday's democratic primary for mayor, were to have entered a second and final primary Friday, but Mr. Nelson withdrew from the race this afternoon, leaving Mr. Henderson the democratic nominee, which is equivalent to an election.

The election will be held Monday to choose a successor to the late Mayor F. M. Hight, who died three weeks ago.

Mr. Henderson is thirty-six years old and a native of this county. He is now serving his third term as alderman.

NEGRO THREATENED HIS LIFE.

Alabama Planter Kills a Man Who Had a Big Stick.

Eufaula, Ala., September 6.—(Special.) W. G. Cawthorn, a prominent citizen of this county, twelve miles south of the city shot and instantly killed a negro on his place this morning.

A dispute arose last night, when the negro threatened Cawthorn with a big stick, and he was forced to flee for safety.

The difficulty was renewed today with the result given.

MARYLAND REPUBLICANS MEET

Lloyd Lowndes Is Nominated for Governor by Acclamation.

Baltimbore, Md., September 6.—The Maryland state republican convention met at the Academy of Music and nominated the following state ticket:

For governor—Hon. Lloyd Lowndes, of Allegheny county.

For Comptroller General—Philips Lee Goldsborough, of Dorchester county.

For Attorney General—Ex-Congressman John V. L. Findlay, of Baltimore city.

The nominations were all made by acclamation. The platform indorses the present national administration, declares in favor of the gold standard, in favor of suppressing the Filipino insurrection, the disposition of the Philippines to be made by congress, and in favor of laws for the suppression of trusts which create monopoly.

CLERKS HOLD AN ELECTION.

Officers Chosen by Postoffice Clerks' Association.

Memphis, September 6.—At the third and last day of the National Postoffice Clerks' Association, an important step was taken in the direction of amalgamation with the United Association, a similar organization to the National Association.

The election of officers took place at the morning session, with the following results: President, Thomas J. Donnelly, of Brooklyn, re-elected; first vice-president, Walter Herron, Memphis; second vice-president, Arthur Eastus, Muncie, Ind.; third vice-president, Theo Wilkie, Topeka, Kas.; secretary, Edward S. O'Connor, Utica, N. Y.; treasurer, Mark B. Green, Cincinnati.

SCHOOL BOOK WAR PRACTICALLY OVER

Children Have Obtained Books and Dealers Get a Rest.

TWO FIRMS CUT THE PRICES

Lester and Miller Sold at 10 Per Cent Above List Price.

OTHERS SOLD AT 15 PER CENT RATE

In Accordance with an Agreement with the Board of Education. Story of the Book Sale.

The majority of the school children who entered the public schools this year have been supplied with their schoolbooks and other material and the book dealers of the city are experiencing a relief from the rush of Monday and Tuesday. As a matter of fact the great majority of schoolbooks are sold on the day of the opening of the schools and on this day the greatest rush is experienced.

The question schoolbooks and the prices charged for them has caused no small amount of discussion in Atlanta and this year was no exception in that particular. On several occasions there have been wars between the book dealers of the city and this year the war was particularly warm and interesting.

When the term opened last year the board of education made a contract with the Orr Stationery Company by which that concern was to be the official agent of the board and sell books at 5 per cent above the list price. Under this arrangement the patrons of the schools obtained books cheaper than ever before in the history of the city. But the Orr company lost money. It was found that the books could not be brought to Atlanta and sold for 5 per cent above the list price at a profit.

When the board of education attempted this year to make a similar agreement the dealers would not enter into it and demanded 20 per cent above the list price, which is the margin allowed them by the publishers of the books. The matter was fully discussed and finally the Orr Stationery Company, Delbridge & Rice and the Columbian Book Company agreed to sell the books for 15 per cent.

The Lester company and J. M. Miller were asked to enter this combination, but they refused to lower their price and the other dealers then made the agreement with the board.

The Lester company and J. M. Miller felt that 15 per cent was too low for any profit whatever, but with the other companies selling at 15 per cent there was very little chance for them. Finally they decided to cut their prices, but instead of making it 15 per cent, they cut to 10, making their price 5 per cent lower than that asked by the companies who represented the board of education. This cut at once precipitated a book war.

The cut price lists which had been printed were sent to the teachers of the public schools, but owing to the fact that an arrangement had been made with the other dealers, the teachers were not allowed to distribute these lists to the children. But the cut prices became known and the war was on in earnest, although it is declared by each of the dealers that there was not the slightest amount of feeling over the situation.

The book business in Atlanta this year was large, the cut price dealers stating that their sales doubled what they were last year. The other dealers had as much as they could attend to and when the cut price lists were presented to them the cut was in every instance met.

Owing to the manner in which the books are sold by the publishers it is impossible for the local dealers to control the prices. They are allowed a margin of 20 per cent on the list price and if they cut this it is their own lookout. The list prices are uniform every year and if a local dealer is not pleased with the prices his only alternative is to not handle the books.

During the last two terms the patrons of the schools have obtained books cheaper than ever before. The book war is now practically over and the wants of the children for the term have been supplied.

COAST LINE IS NEW LESSEE

The Atlantic System Has an Interest in the Georgia.

THE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Harry Walters Elected Director of Western Railway of Alabama as the Georgia's Representative.

The Atlantic Coast Line obtained the half interest in the Georgia railroad lease.

This was the presumption and The Constitution expressed that opinion some time ago.

On Tuesday the announcement was made at the directors' meeting of the Western Railway of Alabama.

President Harry Walters, of the Coast Line, was elected a director of the Western. He is one of the Georgia road's representatives on the board.

M. H. Smith, president of the Louisville and Nashville, retired from the board. The Louisville and Nashville has two representatives on the Western's board.

A few weeks ago it was reported that the Southern had secured a half interest in the lease of the Georgia, but it seemed more probable at that time that the Coast Line was the new owner in the lease. This is now definitely known to be a fact.

There is no evidence that there will be any change in the management either of the Georgia or the Western of Alabama. As the Georgia is a large owner of stock in the Atlanta and West Point, it is likely that Mr. Walters will be elected a director of that road, too, at the annual meeting next week.

CHAMBERS DINED BY GERMAN.

Chief Justice at Peace with William's Representative.

Washington, September 6.—The German ambassador gave a dinner tonight to Mr. Chambers, the chief justice of Samoa, and the fact is taken to indicate a better state of feeling now that there is fuller knowledge respecting the course of Mr. Chambers in Samoa.

John Chapman Wins Laurels.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Septemger 6.—J. M. Chapman, of Georgia, tonight lowered the world's record for a paced mile on an eight-lap track to 1:47 2-5.

WILSON SAVES THE DAY AT SEA GIRT

Georgia Team Won Out Yesterday in Exciting Finish.

OVERCAME A BIG HANDICAP

With Only One Point Needed To Tie Score, Wilson Made a Bulls-Eye.

FINE WEATHER FOR THE CONTESTS

Owing to the Brilliant Light on the Targets the Scores Will Not Be as High as Usual.

Sea Girt, N. J., September 6.—There was another large attendance at the third days shooting on the Sea Girt range. The weather was fine. The principal interest centered in the skirmish contest which was the chief event of the day. This brought out strong rivalry between the Georgia teams and the teams from the District of Columbia.

The scores in this contest were to count on the regimental and Columbian trophy match. The scores that were made today will not be known until tomorrow. There were ten teams of sixty men each, the same as in yesterday's contest. The men started in three squads near the 700 yard line at unknown distances, and attacked the silhouette target.

These targets were in the shape of three figures—one a man kneeling, the hitting of which counted four; and the standing, wmich counted three; and the third prone, which counted five. The men made two runs, having twenty rounds each to fire. They made five halts going forward and five in retreat. These evolutions were done at bugle calls.

The targets were so placed that the sun shone brightly on them, oftentimes making it impossible for the marksmen to see at which to shoot. There were twenty-four men in line two yards apart, but they did not maintain their line correctly. Upon arriving at the 300 yards range they could not see the target, which was due to their not keeping their distances. In many cases the men in the rear rank found themselves opposed by the persons of those in front. The scores will probably be low owing to the bad light upon the targets and the failure of the men to keep their proper distances.

The crack team which has carried most of the honors in previous years, started off today with a handicap of twenty-seven points, having been outshot yesterday by the Second regiment, District of Columbia team.

The men from Georgia, however, overcame this and won. The men outshot everybody today and the finish in the company team match was exciting and sensational.

With Lieutenant Wilson, of company C., first Georgia battalion to shoot, companies A and B., sixth battalion, Georgia, needed a bullseye to win, and the next test shoot to tie the District of Columbia teams. Wilson scored a bullseys winning the match for his team.

FIFTY PEOPLE ARE INJURED.

Rear End Collision on Baltimore and Ohio Was Disastrous.

Connellsville, Pa., September 6.—Probably fifty persons were injured in a rear-end collision on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad tonight at Connellsville station. No one was fatally murt, and many of the injured continued on their journey. The presence of mind of Engineer John Haggerty saved the lives of many.

An emigrant special of eight Wagner sleepers ran into the rear end of the Cumberland accommodation. Two coaches of the acmmodation were wrecked, the rear end of the last one being crushed as though it had been an egg shell.

GEN. GUELLITO HAS GIVEN UP.

Commander of Monte Christo Surrendered Yesterday.

Cape Haytien, September 6.—General Guellito, the Heureaux commander of Monte Christi, has surrendered, and Generals Pacheco and Roca are now occupying the city and its environs.

The troops under Caceras, who were marching against Monte Christi, have been ordered to return to Santiago las Cabeleres. All the country is rejoicing at the arrival of Juan Isidro Jiminez.

SEVEN MEN KILLED IN WRECK.

Collision Occurred in Tunnel at Williamson, W. Va.

Williamson, W. V., September 6.—Seven persons were killed in a freight wreck today in Dingess tunnel on the Northern and Western railway. The dead are:

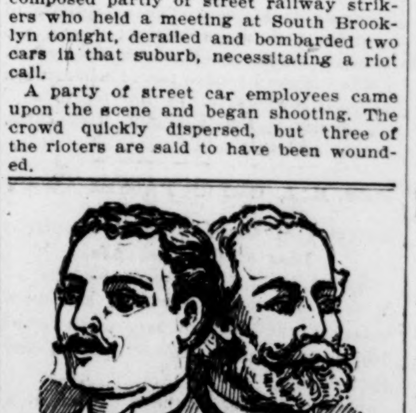
FRANK R. ARCHER, brakeman.
CHARLES BOOTH, brakeman.
JOHN CHAFFIN, fireman.
Four tramps, names unknown.

BIG MOB DERAILS TWO CARS.

Riot Call Is Sent in at Cleveland, Ohio.

Cleveland, O., September 6.—A mob composed partly of street railway strikers who held a meeting at South Brooklyn tonight, derailed and bombarded two cars in that suburb, necessitating a riot call.

A party of street car employees came upon the scene and began shooting. The crowd quickly dispersed, but three of the rioters are said to have been wounded.



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NOTICE OF LOCAL LEGISLATION.

Notice is hereby given that a bill will be introduced at the next session of the general assembly of Georgia as follows:

A bill to be entitled an act to cede to the United States of America exclusive jurisdiction over 300 acres of land, more or less, in Fulton county lying on and near McDonough road and the Southern railway, known as the lands purchased for the site of the federal prison.

J. G. WOODWARD, Mayor.

"THE NEBRASKA-COLORADO EXPRESS"

New afternoon train to the West, Leaves St. Louis, 2:05 p. m.; arrives Denver 6:20 p. m. One night en route. Direct via St. Joseph.

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GUARDIAN SALE.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—By virtue of an order of the court of ordinary of said county, granted at the September term, 1899, will be sold before the courthouse door of said county, on the first Tuesday in October, 1899, within the legal hours of sale, the following property of Worthie Mangum, to-wit: A one-seventh undivided interest in all that tract or parcel of land, being the eastern half of land lot No. one hundred and twenty-five (125) of the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, containing one hundred and one and one-quarter acres (101¼), more or less; more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of said lot, running thence in a westerly direction seven hundred (700) feet, thence south to a point on the south line of said lot seven hundred (700) feet east of the southwestern corner of said lot, thence east to the southeast corner of said lot, thence north to the beginning point.

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Chamber of Commerce Committee Will Keep on the Lookout.

COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED

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OCMULGEE WILL SOON BE EXAMINED

Government Expert at Savannah Contemplates an Early Visit to the Central City.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—In conformity with a resolution passed by the chamber of commerce yesterday afternoon, President Smith today appointed the following committee to promote industrial and other manufacturing enterprises in Macon:

E. L. Martin, chairman; Henry Horne, N. M. Block, T. J. Carling, A. D. Schofield, Sam Mayer, George Ketchum, E. B. Harris, R. F. Burden, William McKay, Jr.

The committee was appointed at the request of several members of the chamber of commerce, and will take the place of the industrial league, which was suggested several days ago.

A meeting will be called by the chairman in a few days.

President George A. Smith, of the chamber of commerce, has received a letter from Captain Gillette, at Savannah, who is in charge of the rivers and harbors of Georgia, saying that the reason he had not visited Macon to make an inspection of the river was on account of Macon not having a boat in operation.

As soon as the city secures a boat he will come up. President Smith will ask him to make the visit sooner, however, as Charles Wilbourn, who commands the steamer Nameless, now on Outing Club bay, has decided to put his vessel on the river, and has volunteered to show Captain Gillette the different points of interest.

The dredge boats are now at work below Hawkinsville and are rapidly coming this way. The appropriation secured by the Macon chamber of commerce is now being used on the river, and when the work is completed the channel will be in first rate condition for navigation.

Mr. Smith, who is also one of the promoters of the Macon Navigation Company, says that he thinks the steamer City of Macon will be at her dock here within two months' time.

THE MONEY APPORTIONED.

This Year Carries an Increase Over the Year 1898.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The county commissioners have appropriated $165,031.57 for expenditures for 1889. The appropriations last year were $161,059.93. The appropriations this year are $3,971.64 more than last year. The appropriations for 1899 are as follows, with a comparative table for those of 1898:

	Appro. For 1899.	Expend. In 1898.
General expenses, including $30,000 deficit	$45,415.87	$15,415.87
Roff Home	9,375.07	9,395.07
Roads	19,446.59	21,039.32
Paupers	4,764 10	5,176.35
Superior court	7,859.51	8,515.77
Bridges	1,295.09	2,946.32
Court house	2,388.99	2,288.99
Jail	5,670.22	7,216.70
City court	8,526.13	10,034.26
Public works	1,000.00	2,127.28
Sup. court jury	7,010.00	7,010.00
Coroner's jury	450.00	456.00
Ordinary's jury	550.00	573.00
Schools	45,000.000	50,000.00
Estimated errors and insolvents	2,500.00	....
Totals	$163,031.57	$161,059.93

Macon Military Will Greet Dewey.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The Macon Volunteers and the Floyd Riefls have decided to attend the Dewey celebration in New York. The Macon Hussars decided some time ago to participate in the celebration. It is probable that at least one hundred and twenty-five soldiers will go from Macon. Committees have been appointed by the different companies to make the necessary arrangements for the trip.

The Public Schools Will Be Crowded.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—On next Monday morning Superintendent Abbott will open the books for the registration of new pupils for the fall term of the Bibb county public schools, which will begin in about two weeks. The indications are that every school will be overflowing with pupils. The regular September meeting will be held next Monday night, and much business appertaining to the opening of the schools will be transacted.

Confessed the Murder.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Sheriff Newton, of Monroe county, came to Macon today and carried back with him to Forsyth the negro John Jones, who was arrested a short time ago by Officer Lee Groce. Jones is said to have confessed while in jail to the murder of Henry Davis several weeks ago in Monroe county He will be put on trial to answer the charge.

MACON PRESS CLUB'S BANQUET.

Central City Newspaper Men Entertain Their Friends.

Macon, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The Macon Press Club gave its first monthly banquet tonight at the Brown house, and it was a brilliant and delightful affair. Each member of the club was privileged to invite as many friends as he pleased and every department of business was represented.

The club was only recently organized and the officers installed tonight were: President, C. R. Pendleton, of The Telegraph; secretary, Charley Ellis, of The Evening News; treasurer, G. W. Tidwell, of The Evening News; chairman of governing board, R. L. McKenney, of The Evening News.

President Pendleton was toastmaster and did the honors most gracefully. The subject for discussion was: "How to Compile a Newspaper Story." Speeches on this topic were made by J. R. Kennedy, W. G. F. Price, G. C. Matthews, Eugene Anderson, Bob Smith. Responses to toasts were made as follows: "City of Macon," by Mayor S. B. Price; "Business Men of Macon," R. F. Burden; "Macon Carnival," Joe Neel, E. A. Waxelbaum; "Railroads," E. E. Winters, John T. Wright, C. B. Rhodes, S. F. Carey.

An elegant repast was served. The festivities extended from 6 to 9 o'clock.

GOOD ATTRACTIONS ARE BOOKED

Manager Bowman Will Give Newnan Citizens Suitable Show.

Newnan, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Manager E. H. Bowman, of Reese's opera house, has secured a list of attractions for the coming season that insures delightful entertainment for his patrons. The plays heretofore seen at this place one but what enjoys a first class reputation. The stage is in excellent trim and the patrons will evidently show their appreciation and pleasure to the management by giving him crowded houses.

The opening night will be on Friday of this week, when Governor Bob Taylor will deliver his lecture on "Love, Laughter and Song." The other attractions best, but of those secured by Manager Bowman up to the present, there is not have not, in every instance, been the from the list following: Charles King company; Carter's Remember the Maine; Washburn's Big Minstrels; Murray and Mack's Comedy Company in Finnegan's Ball;" "At the Mercy of Crooks;" Field's Minstrels; Russell's Comedians; Hoyt's "A Texas Steer;" "The South before the War;" and 'The Real Widow Brown"

Governor Bob Taylor is an especial favorite among the lecture loving people of Newnan and when he rises on next Friday evening, every seat will be occupied. He will be introduced by Hon. H. H. A. Hall.

NO NEW COURTHOUSE NOW.

Wilkes County's Old Records Will Be Kept in an Old Bank Vault.

Washington, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The county commissioners today decided to allow the question of a new courthouse to lay dormant for a season. However, an old bank office was rented and until a crew courthouse does came, the priceless legal records of more than 100 years will be deposited in a safe vault instead of being allowed to mold, decay and waste away in the cellars of the present old courthouse.

The commissioners also fixed the county tax rate at $6.64, an increase of 35 cents per $1,000.

FLOYD'S PEARL FISHERIES.

Farmer Picks Up Gems Now Valued at $35.

Rome, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Interest has been aroused in the pearl fisheries of Floyd county. A farmer living on the Armuchee has brought here a number of the most beautiful pearls yet seen in Rome.

The bottle containing $35 worth of the pretty pearls are on exhibition and attract much attention.

SCOTT'S SENTENCE REDUCED.

Slayer of Sheriff McGinnis Secures Six Years Off His Term.

Rome, Ga., September 5.—(Special.)—Captain John C. Printup has succeeded in getting the life sentence of Chester Scott reduced to twenty years. Through good behavior this will be reduced to fourteen years and as he has already served seven, in seven more years he will be a free man.

Scott was sent up for the slaying of Sheriff McGinnis, of Gordon county, Doubts exists in many minds yet of his guilt. His wife and three children live here. Captain Printup hopes to get a full pardon when the legislature meets.

Ware's Tax Rate Assessed.

Waycross, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The county commissioners at their recent meeting fixed the tax rate for Ware at $5.64 per $1,000, this added to the state tax—5.36, makes $11 per $1,000.

Clinch County Veterans.

Waycross, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The confederate veterans of Clinch county met Monday at Homerville and organized a camp with the following officers: F. M. Jackson, chairman; S. W. Register, secretary. Thirty-two names were enrolled.

School at Demorest Opens.

Demorest, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The J. S. Green college opened its third year today with an enrollment of 257 students. Many of them are from distant points, one gentleman bringing his son from Virginia to place him here.

Pushing Valdosta's Exposition.

Valdosta, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Work still continues at Pine park on the exposition building. Fully 100 workmen are now there and will be at work till November 1st, when the great show will open. Valdosta expects to have people from all over the state to the show in November which will far surpass anything south Georgia has ever had.

Store at Summerville Burns.

Summerville, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The Raccoon Manufacturing Company lost its store and contents last night by fire. Loss about $8,000; insurance about $4,000.

Four Out of Five Convicted.

Washington, September 6.—(Special.)—The first session of the city court was a short one. Judge W. H. Toombs presided. Owing to the fact that this court has only recently been instituted there were few cases to come up, five minor cases and four out of five were convicted.

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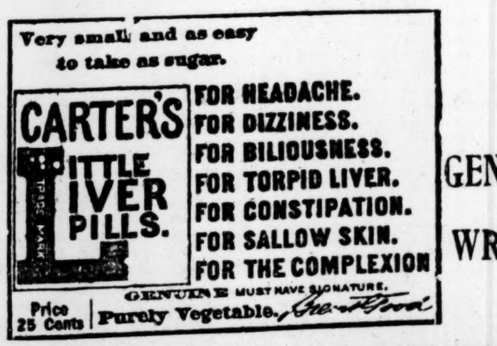

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ROUNSAVILLES LOSE $35,000 BY FIRE

Rome Large Wholesale Grocery House Wholly Destroyed.

STOCK VALUED AT $30,000

Firemen Were Unable To Work on Account of the Intense Heat.

WALLS OF THE BUILDING FALL

Ample Insurance Was Carried and the Firm Will Rebuild Without Any Delay.

Rome, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Rounsaville Bros.' large wholesale grocery and produce house on East First street, was totally destroyed with its contents this morning.

The southern and western walls fell outward at 6 o'clock, but no one was hurt. The big cotton warehouse adjoining was not damaged. The loss on the stock is estimated at $30,000 and the building $5,000.

The insurance on the stock is as follows: Greenwich, $2,500; Aetna, $2,500; Liverpool and London and Globe, of London, $2,500; Norwich Union, $5,000; Phoenix, of London, $1,000; Western, of Toronto, $1,500; Georgia Home, $1,500; Hartford, $1,500; Phoenix, of Hartford, $1,500; Liverpool and London and Globe, of New York, $1,000; Glenns Fall, $500. Total, $21,000. On the building: Southern Mutual, $2,500; North American, $1,000. Total, $3,500. The firm will rebuild at once.

FATHER STRIKES DAUGHTER.

Girl Pays a Fine with Her Jewelry and Weds Man She Loves.

Augusta, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—On the evening of Labor Day a sensation was created in the dancing pavilion at Lake View park by J. J. Thurman, who angrily forced his daughter, Miss Ada out of the pavilion and struck her just as she reached the steps. He was promptly arrested and next day told the recorder his daughter was dancing with a young man, James Williams, with whom he had forbidden her to go.

Thurman was fined by the recorder, and in his anger he ordered his daughter to take off her rings and ear rings and give them to him. She did so and in deep mortification left the court room.

It developed today that she was met soon after by young Williams and that the two crossed the river to South Carolina and were married by Justice Schiller.

COLUMBUS BAPTISTS IN SESSION

Seventy-First Annual Convention of the Association Going On.

Columbus, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) The Columbus Baptist Association, composed of twenty-four churches of this section, is holding its seventy-first annual session at Bethel church, near Flat Rock, this county. Rev. B. W. Bussey, of Columbus, is moderator and J. A. Clements is clerk. The church where the association is meeting has been a strong Baptist institution for fifty years.

Among the well known Baptists from a distance present are: Rev. Harvey Hatcher, of the American Baptist Publication Society; Dr. J. F. Eadens, of The Christian Index; Rev. E. Z. F. Golden, of The Baptist Mirror; Dr. S. Y. Jameson, representing the Georgia board of missions; Rev. H. R. Barnard, of Mercer university, and Dr. T. B. Bell, of The Christian Index.

Talbotton has invited the association to hold its next meeting there.

IS HARD TO SECURE A JURY.

McIntosh Residents Are Prejudiced Against Henry Delegal.

Brunswick, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) Trouble is being experienced in McIntosh county in securing a jury to try Henry Delegal. Today over seventy jurors were summoned and out of that number only eleven have been secured. The jurors go down mostly for cause and about nine-tenths of them admit their prejudice in the case.

Court has adjourned until tomorrow to give the sheriff another chance to bring in men and that official is actively at work tonight hunting available material to present to the court tomorrow.

Athenaeum Is Prospering.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The Athenian Club is prospering under the new regime. Thirty new members have been added to the rolls within the past week and as many more will go in during the coming week. The business men are encouraging the club in its new movements and it will be a great success.

Alderman Center Announces.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The aldermanic elections will now begin to attract public interest. Alderman Center has announced himself a candidate for re-election in the first ward and other announcements from the different wards will now begin to go in.

Appointments Confirmed.

Waycross, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) The city council has decided that the tax rate for this year shall be $10 on the $1,000. The body confirmed the appointment of Dr. J. L. Walker as president and R. P. Bird as secretary of the board of health.

Denies That He Is Implicated.

Sandersville, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—W. J. Jenkins, of Sandersville, denies that he is implicated in the charge of illicit distilling, for which Louis Jenkins and several others were arrested near Harrison, Ga., a few days ago. He claims that the published account of the affair was incorrect inasmuch as he was concerned, as he was not one of the parties arrested, and had no connection with the illicit distillery.

Judge Eve Passes Sentence.

Augusta, Ga., September 6.—(Special.—Today Judge Eve sentenced the three defendants who were convicted last week as follows: Turner Jackson, selling liquor on Sunday, $100 or six months; John Cavanaugh and David Brown, keeping gambling rooms, $200 each or six months.

Gordon Wins After Long Contest.

Columbus, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) A long and interesting contest for city school trustees was ended today by the council electing F. B. Gordon to succeed himself on the board. His opponent was L. Lowenherz, a prominent Hebrew merchant.

Lieutenant Boston Is Here.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Lieutenan John H. Boston, Jr., is in the city for the purpose of enlisting men for the Forty-first volunteer infantry at Camp Meade. Lieutenant Boston is an alumnus of the University of Georgia and has many friends here. He has established headquarters and will no doubt secure a number of recruits.

WOUNDS RESULTED IN DEATH.

Negro Girl's Trial Came Off Too Soon To Make Charge of Murder.

Valdosta, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) Pearl Crawford, the negro girl who assaulted her mother last week, has just been convicted of assault and battery and given twelve months in the chaingang.

Since her trial the girl's mother died from the injuries, but the girl will only serve twelve months and then be released.

If the trial had been postponed a little longer she would have been charged with murder.

TWO NEW BRIDGES ORDERED.

Lowndes County Spans the River at Troupville.

Valdosta, Ga., September 6.—(Special.) The county commissioners have decided to build new bridges over the river at Troupville.

One of the bridges will be 1,800 feet long, while the other will be 2,200 feet long.

The work will begin as soon as lumber can be placed on the grounds. This will give Lowndes two more excellent bridges.

LUCY COBB WELL ATTENDED.

Institute Opens with Brighter Prospects Than Ever Before.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Lucy Cobb Institute opened its fall session this morning with a promising outlook for a successful year. During the summer quite a number of improvements and additions have been made at the institute and everything was in readiness for the opening session when Mrs. M. A. Lipscomb, the principal, called the school to order this morning.

Mrs. Lipscomb is very highly pleased with he opening, which is probably the largest and best opening in the history of the institute.

Atlanta sends quite an interesting bevy of young ladies this fall, and as usual they will rank among the best and most popular pupils at the institute.

DR. ZACHARIAH SIMS DEAD.

Former Atlanta Dentist Expires at His Home in Perry.

Perry, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Dr. Zachariah Sims, a prominent citizen of Perry, died at his home this morning after an illness of about a year. Dr. Sims was a native of Jones county, was a confederate soldier and was once ordinary of Pike county. He practiced denistry in Atlanta several years. He had been a consistent member of the Methodist church for more than fifty years. He was seventy years old and leaves a wife, four daughters and three sons.

The remains will be buried here tomorrow morning.

J. H. Loudermilk, Demorest, Ga.

Demorest, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—John H. Loudermilk, a pioneer and much respected citizen of this place, died at his home yesterday evening at 6 o'clock.

B. F. Meadors, Opelika, Ala.

Opelika, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—B. F. Meadors, one of the most prominent planters of this county, died at his home in the country Monday.

W. I. Tuck, Winterville, Ga.

Winterville, Ga., September 6.—Special.) W. I. Tuck died today of dropsy. Mr. Tuck was among Winterville's oldest and most successful business men and had been a member of the Baptist church for years.

Mrs. J. O. Wells, Stone Mountain.

Stone Mountain, Ga., September 6—(Special.)—Mrs. J. O. Wells, wife of J. O. Wells, a prominent traveling salesman from Atlanta died here this afternoon. The funeral will take place Friday morning at this place.

Wrangle Over Time.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—There is a slight wrangle just now over the new time standard recently adopted by the city, but it promises to pass out in a few days. All the educational institutions, half the banks, and nine-tenths of the business interests in the city have adopted the new time standard and it will be adhered to.

Civil Service Examination.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The civil service examining board held a session today at the court house to examine applicants for positions as clerks and carriers in the mail service. Only a few applicants appeared. The board will examine their papers and see whether or not they passed. The examination was held under the supervision of Anderson Brown, secretary.

"He that is warm thinks all so," but many people are always cold because of poor blood. They need Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Army Worm in Clarke.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The army worm made its appearance in Athens today. Great swarms were found in the pasture of Captain James White this morning and were making their way across the garden of W. C. Orr, destroying vegetation as they passed along. There were thousands upon thousands of them, the ground being perfectly black with them. It is not known whether they have appeared elsewhere.

City Schools Open.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The city schools of Athens opened this morning at 9 o'clock. The attendance shows a decided increase among the whites while the attendance at the colored schools holds its own. The total attendance this year in the city schools will reach 1,650. Superintendent Bond is pleased at the outlook for a successful year.

Registrars Are Now at Work.

Athens, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The county registrars are at work revising the registration lists for the coming legislative election. The registrars are W. A. Brown, T. J. Shackelford and L. J. Hamrick. They will finish their work tomorrow. There are 1,029 names on the list, 726 in the city, and 303 in the country districts. The race for the legislature between Major Carlton and Captain Burnett is progressing smoothly, each candidate being confident.

WILL PUSH THEIR CONTRACT.

Crosstie Suppliers Are Moving Camp So as To Push Work.

Barnwell, S. C., September 6.—(Special.) Brown & Co., the largest tie contractors in the south, are moving today from here to increase their forces on the Seaboard Air-Line extension—Cheraw to Columbia—one car load of twenty mules and wagons, and 100 negro cross-tie choppers to complete their crosstie contract with that company on time. This force is in charge of Colonel Willis J. Duncan and O. D. Woods.

With this force Brown & Co. will have over 200 hands at work under command of S. K. Brown, Colonel Mike Brown's son.

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YELLOW FEVER CASE CARRIED OUT TO SEA

Case Develops at Mimai, Fla., and Is Duly Reported.

EVERY CARE IS EXERCISED

Health Officer Brunner Thinks Quarantine Not Necessary.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF IT IS MADE

Savannah's Expert Asserts That the Disease Is Well in Hand and May Be Controlled.

Savannah, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—This morning the health authorities of Savannah were advised that a case of yellow fever has been discovered at Miami, Fla. The report which comes to Savannah is to the effect that one case has been found in the town and that it has been carefully isolated. The patient has been placed on a schooner and the vessel taken into the ocean, where it will be away from other vessels. Health Officer Brunner was asked about the report from Miami. He practically admitted the report that a telegram had been received giving information relative to the existence of yellow fever there. He said he had nothing to give to the papers.

Dr. Brunner was questioned as to the possibility of quarantining against the Florida town. He said there had been no move in that direction. If there is a case of yellow fever at Miami he is of the opinion that it must be of a very mild type and he has confidence in the people who must have it in charge. Miami is about 500 miles from Savannah and is on the Florida coast. It is the terminal point for a line of steamers plying between that port and Key West, where the fever appears to have a firm hold.

Dr. Brunner thinks the case at Miami came from Key West.

Won't Move Troops.

Washington, September 6.—A dispatch has been received from the commanding officer of the garrison at New Orleans saying the situation there is not serious, and unless the yellow fever becomes more of a menace than at present, he does not believe it is advisable to move the troops. Acting upon this this suggestion the order for removal has been held in abeyance.

$1.95 to Birmingham and Return.

Excursion via. Southern railway Thursday, September 14th. Tickets good returning Friday, September 15th.

The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof. You can buy Isaacs Pens at $1 per gross or 6 gross for $5. For sale by John M. Miller Co., 39 Marietta street, Atlanta, Ga. Samples free.

Note—These pens are warranted to be made from selected stock and are carefully examined before boxing.

TO CONSIDER FRANCHISES.

County Commissioners' Committee Will Hold Special Meeting This Morning at 9 O'Clock.

The committee on roads and bridges of the board of county commissioners will hold a special meeting beginning at 9 o'clock this morning to consider a number of petitions for grants on certain county roads that have been presented by street railway companies.

Chairman H. E. W. Palmer made a call last night for a special meeting of the board of commissioners to be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and it is thought that the committee meeting will last until that hour.

The session of the roads and bridges committee will be an unusually important one and it is probable that some interesting matters will come up for final settlement. One of the most important matters to be decided will be that of which company will get the grant on the Peachtree road.

At present there are four companies petitioning for the right to build on this road and the members of the committee will doubtless have a difficult task before them in deciding this peculiar state of affairs.

The roads asking for franchises are the Atlanta Railway and Power Company, the Ansley company, the Collins Park and Belt Line Company and the Atlanta and Roswell Electric Company.

Wherever the interests of these roads do not conflict it will be an easy matter to grant franchises, but on several roads two or more of the railway companies are asking for the same grants. These matters will be adjusted at the meeting today.

At the meeting of the regular monthly meeting of the board of county commissioners two additional petitions asking for franchises were presented by the Atlanta Railway and Power Company, and these will also come up for consideration.

The following are these petitions:

September, 6, 1899.—To the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Fulton County: The undersigned company respectfully petitions your honorable body for permission to lay either double or single tracks along the Jonesboro road from its intersection with the McDonough road, over which latter road application for franchise has heretofore been made to a point near the intersection of the Hapeville road, and to equip and operate same with the overhead, single trolley, electric system. Respectfully,
E. WOODRUFF,
President Atlanta Railway and Power Company.

September 6, 1899.—To the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Fulton County: The Atlanta Railway and Power Company respectfully petitions your honorable body for permission to lay either single or double tracks along the chert road from the limits of the town of Oakland City to the limits of the town of East Point, and to equip and operate same with the single trolley, overhead, electric system. Respectfully,
E. WOODRUFF,
President Atlanta Railway and Power Company.

At the session of the board yesterday these petitions were both referred to the committee on roads and bridges.

In view of the recent very warm contest for franchises before the city council it is not improbable that several interesting matters will be discussed this morning. The representatives of the various companies petitioning for franchises will be on hand at the meeting of the committee and will be heard on the subject.

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Nut and Fig Bromose, Pg	25c	Protose, small	20c
Malted Nuts, bottle	40c	Fruit crackers, Pg	20c
Fruit Coco	50c	Oatmeal Wafers Pg	15c
Nuttola, pints	25c	Whole Wheat Wafers	15c
Nuttose, pints	50c	Granose Biscuit, Pg	15c
Nuttose, one-half pints	20c	Granose, Pg	15c
Nut Butter, one-pound cans	30c		
Nut Butter, one-half pound cans	15c		
Nuttolene, one-pound cans	30c		
Nuttolene, one-half pound cans	20c		
Antiseptic Charcoal Tablets	25c		

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COMMITTEES NAMED AT STONE MOUNTAIN

Baptist Association May Complete Its Session Today.

STATE MISSIONS DISCUSSED

Interesting Talks on the Art of Giving Are Made by Delegates.

ATTENDANCE IS DECIDEDLY LARGE

Annual Missionary Sermon Preached by the Rev. Dr. I. J. Van Ness, of Atlanta.

Lithonia, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The Stone Mountain Baptist Association opened the second day's session this morning with a larger attendance than on yesterday.

The first event of the day was the appointment of chairmen of committees. The appointments were:

On orphanage, W. W. Landrum; temperance, I. G. Walker; state missions, R. L. Motley; foreign missions, N. B. O'Kelley; home missions, L. G. Broughton; deceased ministers, J. M. DeFoor; ministerial charges, A. C. Pyle; indigent ministers, A. J. Beck; woman's work, Henry McDonald; nomination, W. A. Montgomery; state of religion, W. J. Northen; on representation in Georgia and Southern Baptist convention, W. H. Bell; on Sunday schools, W. H. Strickland.

State missions were spoken to by Rev. R. L. Motley, Rev. L. G. Broughton, Rev. E. R. Pendleton, Dr. W. W. Landrum.

The annual missionary sermon was preached by Dr. I. J. Van Ness, of Atlanta, Text John iii, 16, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whoever believeth in Him might not perish, but have everlasting life."

The report on home missions was presented by Dr. L. G. Broughton and was discussed also by Dr. Henry McDonald and Rev. J. C. Solomon.

The next session of the association will be with the church at Social Circle.

The session Tuesday evening was under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Stone Mountain Association, an organization now twelve years old.

Scripture reading by Dr. I. J. Van Ness, of Atlanta, was followed by a duet by Miss Johnson and Mrs. Beck.

Mr. Walker Dunson, of Atlanta, made a five-minute talk on how the Woman's Missionary Society helps the church. He was followed by Dr. I. J. Van Ness.

The importance of systematic giving in mission work was discussed by Rev. R. L. Motley, of Atlanta.

The closing address of the occasion was made by Dr. McDonald.

Lavonia High School Opens.

Lavonia, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—The fall term of the Lavonia High School has opened. The attendance was large. Prof. Fitzpatrick comes highly recommended as an educator and has the assistance of his wife who is a teacher of ability. Miss Mattie Castlain has charge of the primary department.

Rumored Sale Is Denied.

Knoxville, Tenn., September 6.—(Special.)—J. A. Simmons, promoter of the Knoxville and Bristol railroad today gave out a positive denial of the rumor that his road had sold out or would sell to the Southern. He declares that it will be completed between the two cities.

HUNTING TURPENTINE FIELDS.

Georgians Are Now Seeking Investments in the Peninsular State.

Jacksonville, Fla., September 6.—(Special.)—The turpentine industry in Florida has been greatly stimulated by the present good prices of naval stores, and hundreds of Georgians are in this state now looking for suitable locations for new stills. The prospectors are scowering the peninsula in search of available timber, and there is considerable rivalry among real estate agents.

The storm-swept region of south Georgia is being vacated by the turpentine operators, as the timber is practically destroyed. Several hundred new stills have been erected in Florida this near, and the outlook for the fall promises a greater increase in new stills.

Man Killed on the Track.

Waycross, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—J. A. McDildo, a white man, was killed last night on the Americus, Valdosta and Waycross railroad, near Fargo.

A New Book For Men

Special Arrangements Whereby a Free Copy Can Be Obtained by Every Reader of This Paper.

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The Philippine Question.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat fancies it sees considerable division among democrats on the Philippine question. What it really does see are the inevitable results of that candid discussion to which democrats subject all questions and issues that have not been defined by a party declaration. Our contemporary, therefore, instead of witnessing division among democrats, perceives a presentation of the question from the points of view of various individuals each of whom is endeavoring to get at the essence of the matter in his own way. The outcome of this dicussion will illuminate the counsels of the democrats so that when the party meets to put forth its platform there will be no doubt as to what should be said in regard to the issue.

The Globe-Democrat says that The Constitution considers the Philippine question to be of a dual nature. As a matter of fact, it is of a three-fold nature. First, there is a necessity of restoring peace and good order in the islands. Second, there is a necessity of assuring these people that the flag of the republic does not stand for vassalage anywhere. This assurance will mean nothing unless it is accompanied by a proposal to give the Filipinos self-government. Third and last, there is the question of annexation—a question which may very properly be deferred until law and good order are premanently restored and the natives are enjoying the first fruits of self-government.

It is to be presumed that the whole question will figure politically as a contest between expansionists and anti-expansionists, but the issue goes deeper into fundamental principles than any such description would imply. This the people are beginning to perceive, and this is why there have been such extreme utterances from individuals who differ as to the policy to be pursued. It should not be forgotten, however, that no democrat of any prominence has gone the length of making declarations similar to those that fall from the lips of some of the most prominent republicans in the country.

As a matter of fact, however, the issues that have arisen are of such importance as to demand the most conservative consideration and discussion. The republican policy, so far as it has been outlined is so utterly opposed to the traditions and institutions of the republic and so subversive of the principles on which the nation is based, that it demands the coolest and most thoughtful action on the part of those who believe in the declaration of independence.

Months ago The Constitution suggested that if the administration would outline the only policy which the American people could be expected to indorse, and present it to the Filipinos with an official guarantee, the insurrection would promptly subside and melt away. We still believe that such a course would restore peace and good order in the islands much more effectually than rifles and cannon; and it seems that the man who most thoroughly understands the Filipinos and all the conditions in the archipelago is of the same opinion. At the same time, in one way or another, the United States must restore peace and good order to the interests which the fortunes of war have placed in its keeping. No democrat of any importance, no democrat entitled to speak for his party has advised the withdrawal of our troops from the islands. This would be to surrender the entire archipelago to the instruments of anarchy and ruin, and for all the results of such a movement the conscience of the nation and the world at large would hold this people responsible. It is not to be thought of.

It is as little to be thought of as the subjugation of the islands by force of arms, and the holding of the natives as vassals to the republic. At the same time, it is not to be forgotten that the war now going on in the neighborhood of Manila was brought on by the machinations of Aguinaldo, who, whatever conception he may have of freedom and self-government, is of the opinion that he should be allowed to rule as dictator. It is a war that can be avoided only by a declaration on the part of this government that the surrender of the Filipinos will mean for them, not vassalage, but liberty; not tyranny, but autonomy; in short, self-government. If an official declaration such as this failed to bring the insurrection to an end, the people of this country without regard to party would have, as the saying is, a stronger stomach for the events that are taking place in the islands.

Both justice and logic make it necessary, war or no war, that our occupation of the archipelago should be interpreted by our history and institutions. It means what the republic means, or else it means the subversion of every principle on which the republic is based. Who doubts where the democratic party will stand on such an issue as this? Who doubts what the verdict of the people will be?

It is said by those who understand the character of the natives that they have all the qualifications for governing themselves except experience. Therefore, our responsibilities in the islands will not cease with the cessation of the insurrection. Our obligations will not cease until the Filipinos have demonstrated their ability to govern themselves wisely and well; and even when this demonstration has been made we shall owe it to these people, just as we shall owe it to the Cubans, to protect them from the greed of those powers that prey upon the weak.

These considerations, however, belong to another phase of the question and to another date. The main issue now is the policy which the republicans propose to pursue with respect to present conditions. We have stated what the democratic policy will be. That policy is mapped out for them by the principles of their party which have so deeply impressed themselves on the foundations and superstructure of the republic. They stand for the rights of man, for freedom and self-government.

Colonel A. R. Lawton.

The fact that the threatened troubles at Darien did not assume serious proportions is due largely to the tact, energy and clear-headed courage of Colonel A. R. Lawton, of Savannah, who was in command of the detachment of state militia sent to the scene of the trouble to prevent the lynching of the Delegals and to put down any demonstration that might be made by the negro population, which is largely in excess of the whites.

Colonel Lawton, by both inheritance and training, is a military man of exceptional ability, and to the qualities that go to make a soldier he adds executive talents of the highest order.

It is fortunate for Georgia that she commands the services of such men as Colonel Lawton. They give to the state militia a dignity and a usefulness which it could rarely boast of until now.

The success with which Colonel Lawton managed the turbulent spirits in and around Darien is deserving of all praise, and it will not be withheld by those who are familiar with the situation there.

Why Afraid of Oom Paul?

There is a good deal of speculation as to why Great Britain does not summarily crush out Oom Paul.

Such speculations are based upon ignorance of the local conditions in South Africa. Great Britain, as a matter of fact, could crush Oom Paul as a strong man might an eggshell in his grasp. But then? That is where the story comes in.

Great Britain claims sovereignty over an empire of territory in South Africa, which she only holds by temporizing with the local chiefs and keeping them divided. The Transvaal is but a small country, but it is inhabited by cool-headed Dutchmen, thoroughly acuqainted with the geography and the people. Their numbers would be increased by their brethren who are scattered out into the English settlements.

Let England declare war on Oom Paul, and south Africa would be in a blaze of revolution and slaughter. A war with the Boers would bring about a rising of the Dutch in Cape Colony, and then would follow a general insurrection of the Matabeles and other great tribes. In the general slaughter the Dutch alone, owing to their friendly relations with the native Africans, would escape, and men, women and children of the other white races would fall victims.

Hence, Great Britain wisely hesitates, and she will hesitate until she gains by diplomacy what she knows she would lose by war.

The Cotton Situation.

The action of the farmers of Troup county on the cotton situation shows that a crisis has been reached in the marketing of the south's staple crop.

After several years of low prices, accounted for on various commercial reasons, a change has come, and we are again in the midst of an era of high prices. Orders for iron have to be placed on file, awaiting opportunity for consideration, and even future prices are refused. Wheat and meats have increased in price. Wages in all the large cities have been vastly increased.

There is a rise in sight for everybody save the cotton farmer, who is forced to go to market for 5 cents a pound.

Is it true that of every product of the earth, cotton alone stands stationary in price? If that were a fact it would argue that the cotton crop would be a good one to abandon entirely, but when it is stated that the spinners could afford to pay 8 cents a pounds for the lint and still have a good profit in the manufactured goods, it will be seen that the fault is not in the product, but in the market. By a skillful handling of the market, the bears succeed in holding down prices to 5 cents during the time that the cotton belongs to the planter, letting it go to its normal price of 8 cents when the crop has become the property of the manipulator, and cheating the producer out of more than one-third of the value of his labor.

The action of the farmers of Troup, while it may not be effective in changing this condition, comes as a protest in an opportune time, and should receive full consideration. Every pound of cotton being sold this season is worth 8 cents to the planter, and were it not for surroundings, he should not sell it for less. By the time that it has been demonstrated that cotton is worth 8 cents, it will go to the manipulator and not to the farmer. What should be done to remedy such a situation as this?

With the beginning of the present year The Constitution took up this question of the farmer and his work in a vigorous spirit, hoping to arouse such a feeling that reform would be certain. The southern farmer is a debtor to the west for his food and to the town merchants for the money which is to carry him through to the next year. The seed in the ground is mortgaged, and a part of that mortgage is certain to lap over into the year after. The first duty of the farmer, therefore, was to get himself out of debt, to force out of the earth, hard though it might be, one year's living, and then starting even with the world to let cotton be his surplus crop. That is a drastic remedy, but it is a sure one, as it places the man who adopts it in the position where no merchant can force him into an unfavorable market in order to pay off a bill, and no bear can hold down the prices so long that he cannot wait until they get better.

This is a condition of things, however, which will require time for development, and we must deal with the emergency as it presents itself. Here are our farmers with a crop on hand worth one-third more than the price offered for it. The farmer owes the merchant and the banker, probably, and will be forced to sell unless they can devise some community of interest with him. All are in the same boat, for a poverty-stricken farmer will have for his neighbors an equally poverty-stricken merchant and banker. The more money which is brought into the country, the better will business be.

The question is intricate and complicated, but surely the various interests which are so dependent upon each other can discuss it and develop some measure of relief. The prize is worth trying for. The margin which the bears are today trying to hold back from the south is not less than $100,000,000. To bring it here where it belongs, to scatter it abroad among our people, would be no more than we are entitle to. Help the farmer to hold back his crop, as far as possible, and with one mighty effort we can smash the iniquitous conspiracy which exists to rob us of our just dues.

Yale's New Departure.

President Hadley, of Yale college, being himself the outcome of a revolution, proposes to surprise that old institution with new departures.

For time immemorial the chancellorship of the college has gone to gentlemen of the cloth. This was but carrying out the precedent set by other college managements, which always seemed to think that the wise and the discreet thing to do was to place an aged and reverend man at the head of affairs. The line of college presidents of Yale has been both reverend and distinguished, for it required these qualifications to build it up to the high standard which it now occupies.

But times change with colleges as with other institutions, and when Yale was recently called upon to select a new head for the institution precedent was thrown to the wind, and Professor Hadley was selected upon his record as an efficient teacher. Shortly afterward the example was imitated by the trustees of the University of Georgia, which selected a layman of distinction for the chancellorship.

Now comes the news that President Hadley proposes to dispense with the custom of inviting neighboring clergymen to officiate in the chapel. Instead, the fifteen heads of departments will pray in rotation from day to day, while the president will sit in the big chair and preserve order.

So far the changes have excited expressions of approval in the New England press, but the religious press is still to be heard from.

The Bentheim Story.

That Atlanta should become one of the storm centers in the Dreyfus tragedy was only to be expected, for there are very few events taking place into which our cosmopolitan connections do not reach.

Almost the first movements in favor of a revision of the trial of Captain Dreyfus were originated in this city, as can be shown by the columns of The Jewish Sentiment, of which Mr. Frank J. Cohen is editor. While the circulation of this paper to the people for whom it is printed prevented its work from receiving that general attention which is given the secular press, yet it paved the way in arousing the interest of the Hebrew people in the fate of their unfortunate brother. From being merely a family agitation, it has so grown that it now belongs to the world and the question is no longer the fate of Dreyfus the Jew, but the fate of Dreyfus the man, unlawfully held in chains.

The details of the Bentheim story, so far, are credible, and enough has been admitted by high sources to lead to the belief that the rest is reliable also. The effect of these disclosures is to show the certain innocence of Dreyfus himself, and by implication, the guilt of the men who have been his persecutors. Already the story is the subject of official attention in the capitals of the United States, Germany and France, and it promises to be followed by other revelations which will shed a strange light on official life in the old world.

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Mr. Hanna is hurrying home to take a hand in Ohio politics. He will find Mr. Foraker willing to be led by him this year.

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The fact that some of the New York preachers regard Ingersoll as a great man goes far to explain their contempt for the Bible.

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The Washington Post learns "in the democratic newspapers" that "the colored voters of the country are going over to the democracy in one vast concourse." We thought it was over to Africa they were going. But in what democratic newspapers did The Post learn this remarkable piece of news?

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Perhaps Mr. Hanna's secret dossier calls for a fresh scalp from Foraker. Is the political hair of this poor man never to be allowed to grow?

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No doubt it will require considerable time for the new speaker to acquire the Tommy-Reed expression, which some have described as "the belgian block glare."

Iron Furnace at Bristol.

Knoxville, Tenn., September 6.—(Special.)—The Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company is arranging to put into blast some time this month, a large iron furnace at Bristol, Tenn. The company has already delivered on the grounds several train loads of iron ore and limestone and coke, ore are being delivered at the furnace. The works will give employment to 300 men.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Not a Question of Expansion—But Contraction.

Editor Constitution—Senator Morgan is a man not only of conviction, but has the rare virtue of the courage of his convictions. There is no question of expansion before our people, we have already expanded. The living, vital question is shall we contract. Shall we of the south, when the first great opportunity offers since our spoliation in the sixties, to greatly benefit our material interests, stand aghast at the chance, and turn aside from it simply because the conduct of our armies in suppressing Aguinaldo is in the hands of the republican administration? Edward Atkinson is as loyal to New England as the most chivalric southern gentleman to his wife, and I do not wonder that his powers are exerted to the utmost to preserve the trade supremacy of the east and lock all other doors as exists for the trade of these states, except such as the east holds the key to. Andrew Carnegie is jealous of the iron interests in Pennsylvania, and wants no further blow than $5.50 pig iron has given him at the Alabama furnaces, and hence I do not wonder at the cabled messages from him that fill the papers of the day.

We of the south have sought from the beginning of the government to block the system of mixing local material advancement and commercialism with our patriotism. The other section stood for an appropriation, and then the constitution, and they have won out on us in the race for material prosperity.

I do not advocate the relegation of the government from the first place in our affections, but I do advocate mixing our material interests along with the first, and am not willing to be driven from accepting a benefit, simply because the acquiring of it comes, in part, through the hands of political enemies. The argument about the benefits that will accrue to the south in reaching the markets of the orient, by keeping apace with the other commercial nations of the world in making and holding new openings, is exhaustive and convincing to any fair mind that will brush away for a moment the fears of political immolation. Paying tribute to the eastern Atlantic ports and then to Liverpool, with all the other tolling intermediaries, before reaching the consumers of the south's chief product, will not be tolerated by the growers of the cotton who pay all this, when they understand the situation. Let us hold what we have, and float the flag from a merchant marine steaming out from the Gulf of Mexico direct through the coming Nicaragua canal to the consumers of our cotton, paying tribute to no one, save the reasonable carriage charges which should not be more than one-fourth or third of the present exactions. Yours truly,

T. R. JONES.

TALKS ABOUT ATLANTA.

Thomasville, Ga., Times-Enterprise: The meteor which passed over Atlanta the other night failed to stop, perhaps on account of the poor accommodation at the union passenger depot. No respectable meteor would stop in Atlanta under the present conditions of the mud-shack.

Gainesville Georgia Cracker: The Georgia legislature meets next month, and then gas will powerfully decline in price in Atlanta.

Augusta, Ga., Chronicle: The people of Atlanta open their doors to yellow fever refugees, but respectfully decline to have a negro regiment recruited there.

Augusta, Ga., Chronicle: That meteor that passed over Atlanta "in an aerial direction" is contributing to the gayety of the summer solstice.

Dallas, Tex., Herald: Atlanta, Ga., is to have a smelter to cost $60,000. This means the opening up of a new industry for that wide-awake, go-ahead city. Atlanta goes for everything in sight and she gets it, and she has in consequence a population of 100,000, and possesses an international reputation.

Blakely, Ga., Reporter: An Atlanta girl is going to Japan to marry the man of her choice, which goes to prove that when a girl "hankers after" a man he'd as well come down from his perch—for she's going to have him.

Savannah, Ga., Morning News: Dr. W. W. Landrum, pastor of the First Baptist church of Atlanta, received recently a call from the First Baptist church of Boston, which he declined, saying that he was too much interested in his work in the Georgia city to think of going elsewhere, however flattering the offer for his services might be. His decision to remain in Atlanta is quite complimentary to that city.

Savannah, Ga., Morning News: At last something has been found which Atlanta doesn't want! It is that new negro regiment that President McKinley has concluded to raise for Philippine service. Atlanta isn't afraid of yellow fever, and doesn't mind yellow mayors, and some other yellow things, but she draws the line at yellow and black regiments. Since Atlanta does not desire the honor and profit of being the recruiting point of the black regiment, how would Cleveland, O., do as the place? Possibly the soldiers could get some preliminary practice there in counteracting the dynamiting and rioting proclivities of those "newly arrived foreigners" who are running that city.

THE STATE PRESS.

Sometimes Hangs Five.

Dalton, Ga., Argus: Mrs. Marie Louise Myrick remarks that "gunpowder blue" is a fashionable color. The girl attired in it will be sure to go off when she meets her "match." Well, we'll be hanged, as the captured horse-thief remarked; but don't you know, sister, that even powder sometimes hangs fire.

The Aerial Meteor Again.

Douglasville, Ga., New South: A meteor of considerable size and wonderful brilliancy dashed across the heavens about 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday night of this week. It was traveling from north to south, and when it struck the atmosphere of the earth it exploded, making a loud report and sending fragments in various directions. It attracted the attention of a good many Douglasvillians, and was seen in various other parts of the state.

Mountains of Gratitude.

Dawson, Ga., Dispatch: A good, kind-hearted farmer friend left at our editor's house a nice chance of fine green peas and beautiful, rosy tomatoes. Now, the actual intrinsic value of the lot would sum up a small amount, but ah! dear reader, when you attempt to sum up the amount of neighborly feeling and good old Methodist brotherly love contained in this little gift you will stand amazed at the big mountains of gratitude that can be built from such little mole-hills of kindness.

The Governor.

Southeast Georgian: It looks as though Governor Candler believes in enforcing the law at any cost. And he is right. A continuation of the policy he is now pursuing will do much for Georgia.

Georgia Raised Cigars.

Poulan News and Immigrant: Mr. Joe P. Brown is the boss tobacco grower and cigar maker in town. He has raised about one hundred pounds of fine tobacco on a piece of land 50x50 and now he is smoking cigars of his own make. Surely this is the garden spot of creation when a fellow can make everything he wants to eat, wear, chew, smoke and drink if he will only try.

The Savannah Soldiers.

Washington, Ga., Gazette: Governor Candler did not want to see any of the Savannah soldiers go off to the Philippines. They are too valuable to Georgia in conserving the peace within her borders.

The Lone Fisherman.

For hours he fished with a baited hook,
And sat as still as death,
Until a good, strong nip he took,
Then fished with bated breath.
—Triplett, in Thomasville Times-Enterprise.

A Flash of Lightning.

Canton, Ga., Advance: Tom Randolph was shocked by a bolt of lightning at his home near Cherokee Mills last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Randolph was lying upon a bed with his babe by his side when the shock came which rendered him unconscious until next morning, and, strange as it is, indeed, that the babe was not injured at all. Mr. Randolph, we learn, has about recovered from the shock.

BENTHEIM RELATES REMARKABLE STORY

Tells of Alleged Connection with Minister of Railroads.

WAS IMPRISONED IN BERLIN

He Accuses Emperor William of Conspiracy in Imprisonment.

HIS REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM JAIL

Secured His Liberty Through Influence of an American Woman. Story Sounds Convincing.

Charles E. Bentheim, the American whose remarkable story of his knowledge of important evidence bearing on the innocence of Dreyfus, furnished by him to the Jewish sentiment and published in The Constitution, and which has aroused so much interest, is either in possession of varied knowledge of important German state secrets, or he is one of the most consumate actor that ever lived. All physical evidence goes to show that the former is the case.

Last night Bentheim was seen by a representative of The Constitution, to whom he told a story fully as remarkable as his former printed statements. This story, while it does not bear directly or indirectly on the guilt or innocence of Dreyfus, is, if true, proof absolute of his (Bentheim's) intimate relations with the secret service department of the German government, and therefore proof of his opportunities for discovering important state secrets. Not only does it involve the American consul, Florschuetz, but it implicates Emperor William himself in the plot of conspiracy. It also proves that he had intimate relations with the emperor.

In addition to relating certain hitherto unmentioned connections with the German government, he took occasion to enter more fully into the details of his birth.

Tells of His Family.

Bentheim was seen at the residence of Frank Cohen, editor of The Jewish Sentiment, last night. He was first asked for confirmation of his story relative to his birth.

"My father was a major in the German army. He left Germany on account of political reasons—just exactly what I do not know. He came to this country in '60 or '1, I can't state exactly which, where he met my mother, a native American, Fanny Earl. They were married and two children resulted from the union—myself and my sister, who is three years my senior. She is married and lives in Duneven, New Zealand. Her name is Mrs. M. Broughton.

"When my father came to this country he was possessed of considerable property, although much had been confiscated when he left Germany. I have often heard him speak of Denver as a wild place—a place where a man's light might be blown out at any minute. A man might come and go in those days and be soon forgotten. For this reason I don't think that any importance should be attached to the fact that he is not now remembered.

"I left Denver at the age of four, and all of this is, of course, hearsay.

"My mother died in Germany in 1878. My father died near Steinfourt, in 1890. At his death he left me 80,000 francs, which my mother had left him in trust. After coming into this patrimony I traveled and studied art in every capital in Europe, spending nearly all that had been bequeathed me.

Offered Secret Service Position.

"Of my connection with the German great staff, there is no need to make further mention. But here is another story I have to tell which bears on my relations with the government.

"In 1890 I was offered the position of 'generaldirektor des kundschafterdienstes,' which means the head of the German secret service in France. The offer came direct from Emperor William through Seigl and Floreschuetz, and was made on account of my intimate knowledge at France and my skill as a draughtsman.

"I refused the offer. I was willing to remain in the employ of the secret service in the capacity I was then serving, but I refused to become a spy.

"Then came another offer—also through the emperor—and made, probably, because of the fact hat he feared my knowledge of his previous offer might be betrayed.

"The German secret service had obtained certain knowledge of proposed plans of mobilization on the French border. The department was anxious to build strategic railroads as near these points as possibit. There was a combination among the steel manufacturers of Germany at that time, and the emperor had a two-fold object in view. In addition to placating me, he hoped to stamp out the trust. He offered me the position of authorized agent of the minister of railroads in Prussia.

"I accepted the position and was given explicit instructions. Crook, Strum & Co. had advanced the price of steel rails from $24 a ton to $28. I was given by the emperor letters to Baron Von Crailsheim, minister of foreign affairs in Bavaria and also minister of railroads in Prussia. Armed with these letters I went to Munich and then to Baden. I was told to purchase steel rails in England and the United States to the amount of 300,000 tons, and was formally authorized to make contracts with the presidents of different state roads. I was supplied with money to the amount $200,000 in checks and Prussian bonds. Most of this amount was deposited in banks.

"In all I purchased 10,000 tons of rails. The first lot of nearly 3,000 tons was bought from Camell & Co., of Sheffield, England, which place I visited in person and signed the contracts. Another lot was bought from Balkow-Vaughn & Co., of Middlesboro, and still another lot from Hope & Co., of Whitehaven. These rails were duly delivered at different points in Germany and receipted for.

"For purchasing these rails I was to receive the sum of 1 mark per ton.

"The German contractors seeing that I was taking away from them enormous contracts, began to throw all kinds of hindrances in my way. However, I continued to act.

"When I called on Florschuetz for a settlement he deducted 1,500 marks from the war royalty I was to get for the rails I had already supplied. I complained to the emperor. The emperor paid no attention to my complaint and my contract was nullified. In the meantime the German steel concerns had come to terms and had lowered the price of rails. Emperor William doubtless thought that I had served him all I could and I was thrown off.

"I was arrested in Berlin and thrown in prison. The charge, I understand, was forging his name to certain documents.

His Marvelous Escape.

At this point of his narrative Bentheim hesitated and then said:

"Had it not been for the American wife of the governor of the prison I might never have been released. I was allowed to see no one or to communicate with none of the American representatives.

"One night I managed to chisel my way out through the floor of the cell and through a passage which led to the house of the governor. I came unexpectedly on his wife. She was surprised and at first frightened. I explained to her who I was and she told me that I had best return—that she would use every effort to get my release. She did. She communicated with the American representatives, who finally threatened to disclose all they knew of the German secret service.

"All my papers were given to Seigl, and for this reason I have never been able to secure them. After three weeks' investigation I was released. I remained in Berlin for some time afterwards, but never succeeded in securing my papers.

"As I said before, I came to this country at the outbreak of the war."

Frank Cohen Talks.

Mr. Frank Cohen, editor of The Jewish Sentiment, told a Constitution reporter the manner in which he met Bentheim and described the impression he made on him.

"I met Bentheim purely by accident," said Mr. Cohen. "One of my advertising solicitors introduced me to him about three weeks ago.

"From the very first he struck me as a man of more than ordinary force and only a casual conversation served to interest me in his personality. When we met I was on the way to my office and I invited him in.

"His visit was repeated. One day the Dreyfus case came up purely by accident and Mr. Bentheim's manner convinced me that he knew much of it. By persistent questioning I drew him out with the result that you now know. At first I was inclined to the opinion that he was simply an unusually clever actor who had managed to string together a remarkable array of statements that bore a close semblance to truth. But the closer the scrutiny I put his statements to the more firmly was I convinced of his sincerity and truth."

Has Other Things To Tell.

That Mr. Bentheim has not exhausted all he knows of the German secret service is evidenced plainly by his manner. He alluded last night to certain things he would make public at the proper time, should his published statements fail to set in motion the proper political machinery.

If the story he tells is not true he has managed to gather more miscellaneous information concerning state affairs and secrets than falls to the lot of most men.

He will remain in Atlanta for some time.

DENIES BENTHEIM'S STORY.

Former Consul to Sonneberg Makes Statement.

The following Associated Press dispatch from Galena, Kan., in which Hon. E. C. Wellep, ex-consul to Sonneberg, denies the truth of certain of Bentheim's statements, will be read with interest:

Galena, Kan., September 6.—Hon. E. C. Wellep, ex-consul to Sonneberg, Germany, says of the Bentheim interview, sent out from Atlanta:

"I cannot believe Bentheim's story. He implicates one Herr Alvin Floerschultz in the matter. When I was consul at Sonneberg Mr. Floerschuetz was my clerk and had been a clerk at the consul's office for a number of years. On my recommendation he was made vice consul. Bentheim says Floerschuetz was recommended by the German government to our government as soncul for the United States at Sonneburg and he was accepted. This is not true, although he was vice consul under me. Our laws do not allow a foreigner to act as consul in foreign lands. He must be a naturalized citizen of the United States, at least, which Floerschuetz was not. Also, Bentheim makes another error when he states documents were received in the regular United States consul envelopes with the United States business only printed on them. Such envelopes are not transmissible in the mails of the old country unless stamped, so that the American consular seals could not have been used as a safeguard."

Mr. Wellep was consul at Sonneburg during President Cleveland's first term.

SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

The water board met in regular session at the city hall yesterday afternoon. No special business of any importance was transacted. President George W. Harrison presided.

Lieutenant H. C. McCool, of the Forty-second United States volunteer infantry, has opened a recruiting station over Harry Silverman's, and is now soliciting men for his regiment, which will be organized at Fort Niagara, N. Y. He will remain in the city for several days and expects to send quite a large batch of recruits from here.

The death of Mrs. Rebecca Sprayberry, the wife of N. Sprayberry, occurred at the residence, corner Hammond and Lee streets, in West End, yesterday. The body will be taken to Palmetto for interment at 1 o'clock today. Mrs. Sprayberry was fifty-eight years of age.

General Frank yesterday issued an order instructing the commander of the Twenty-ninth to send a non-commissioned officer to Cleveland, Tenn., for the purpose of escorting back to Fort McPherson four deserters caught at that place. The men who deserted from the regiment are Columbus McBryant, Robert Chadwick, John H. Cary and George M. Allen, all of whom were recently caught by the civil authorities of Cleveland. Colonel Hardin sent the detail of men to bring the men to the fort, and it is expected that they will arrive this morning.

Yesterday was pay day at Fort McPherson, and all day Major Halford and his assistants were kept busy handing out the new, crisp bills, with bright silver pieces as change. The men were all decidedly orderly in their conduct, both on the reservation and in the city. Provost guards were placed on all the cars on the barracks line, with instructions to arrest any one drunk or disorderly. Two men were in each detail, and perfect order was the result of their presence. It is expected that many of the men will come into the city today, and provost officers will be sent to town and kept on the cars.

An order was yesterday issued from the department of the gulf instructing Captain Cleveland Willcoxon and Second Lieutenant Albert J. Dillon, of the Twenty-ninth, who are now in camp at Waco, to proceed without delay to Fort McPherson, reporting on arrival to Major John H. Salef, First United States artillery, president of the examining board recently appointed to meet to decide the fitness for duty of such officers as are ordered before it. Captain Willcoxon is a member of the board, while Lieutenant Dillon will be examined by it. The examination will be held Friday.

The organization of the city bank clerks, which was to have taken place last night at the office of the Business League, was postponed until next Tuesday night, when a meeting will be held at the rooms of the league and a full organization perfected. Only nine clerks were at the meeting last night, on account of the fact that they had not sufficient notice of the meeting, but all those talked enthusiastically of the movement, and it is thought the organization will be very popular with all the clerks in Atlanta. A committee of the following gentlemen was appointed to report to the meeting Tuesday on plans and suggestions for this club: Frank M. Berry, Charles A. Bowen, John P. Daley and Sterling G. Turner. This committee will make suggestions and explain the object of the organization at the next meeting, when some of the most prominent bankers will be asked to be present.

A Healthy Georgian.

Telfair Enterprise: Thomas Devane, of Berrien county, is seventy-six years of age, and for sixty-six years he has followed the plow steadily. For sixteen years he has planted no cotton, and in the last forty years he has bought no corn or meat, except a little last year, when the crop was cut short by a drought.

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He Had a Wide Circle of Friends in Atlanta and His Death Caused General Regret.

The coroner yesterday held an inquest over the remains of Sigmund Landauer, who was found at Chattahoochee river Tuesday night in a dying condition. The verdict of the coroner was to the effect that Mr. Landauer died of cerebral apoplexy. It has been declared by Mr. Landauer's friends that he had not committed suicide, as had been supposed by those who discovered him, and the coroner's verdict confirms their belief.

The announcement in The Constitution yesterday morning of Mr. Landauer's death caused considerable surprise throughout the city and his friends were shocked to learn of his sudden demise. He was widely known in Atlanta, and general regret is expressed at his death.

He had been in ill health, and when he left his office Tuesday afternoon and did not return those who were close to him and were aware of his condition became alarmed for his welfare and at once instituted a search. It was found that he had boarded a river car and to that place the party proceeded.

When Mr. Landauer was discovered he was in a dying condition, and while the party was waiting for a car on which to return to the city he expired.

Mr. Landauer leaves a wife and five children. His children are Mrs. Edward Lieberman, Misses Daisy, Cecil, Helen and Blanche Landauer.

He carried life insurance to the amount of $174,500, ditributed in various companies.

Mr. Landauer was a firm believer in life insurance, and in 1895, when he had but $115,000 on his life, he wrote a letter to The Spectator, in which he gave his views. The letter follows:

> The Southern Agricultural Works, Atlanta, Ga., September 26, 1895. The Spectator Company: Gentlemen—I am at present carrying $115,000 insurance on my life. It is self-evident that I would not carry such an amount if I did not think that life insurance is a good investment, and especially so for a man engaged in active business. What put me to thinking about carrying large lines of life insurance was a case I knew of in Milwaukee, Wis., where the head of a very large establishment died, and the fact of his carrying a very large amount of life insurance kept the business intact and running without interruption, which probably would not have been the case if he had not carried such an amount of life insurance. In an investment in the manufacturing business, like I am engaged in, values of real estate and machinery adapted to special purposes shrink to a very alarming extent whenever the business is very seriously interrupted. To avoid any such case, in case of my death, I carry this insurance. I hope that these few lines may induce others to seriously think over their affairs and induce them to secure themselves by life insurance. Yours respectfully,
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> S. LANDAUER.

Funeral Occurs Today.

The funeral will occur this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 6 Baltimore Place, and the burial will be at Oakland cemetery.

The following named gentlemen will act as pallbearers: W. E. Austin, W. Menko, E. G. Coffman, L. C. White, G. Loeffler, George Whiters, Jack Evans, George Welch, C. S. Wrenn.

The honorary escort will consist of L. H. Beck, James W. English, S. Thanhouser, J. K. Ottley, C. A. Collier, Aaron Haas, George W. Parrott, Joseph Hirsch, R. A. Sonn, E. Roberts, M. Rich, Jacob Haas, D. Kaufman, F. Schiff, George E. King, John S. Clark, Harvey Anderson.

DEATH OF MRS. G. T. DALLIS.

Prominent LaGrange Woman Died at Her Home Last Night.

A telegram was received last night by Dave W. Morgan from LaGrange announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. George T. Dallis, which occurred at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Dallis was a prominent lady who had many friends in Atlanta, who will regret to learn of her demise. Her husband is well known over the state. She had been ill for some time. Her brother, Mr. Morgan, left last night for LaGrange.

Pensions.

Savannah Morning News: Will not the legislature, as soon as it meets, undertake to reform the state pension business? It is the cause of a great deal of dissatisfaction. There is a widespread belief that a great many persons are drawing pensions who are well able to get along without them, and to whom it was never intended to give state aid.

Judge J. H. Martin.

Talbotton, Ga., New Era: Though Judge J. H. Martin has made no announcement of his candidacy for the judgeship of the Chattahoochee circuit, it seems that he will be in the race. We are glad that he will make the race, and Talbot county, the county of his birth and his home until recently, will be found splendidly suporting him.

Congressman Griggs Making Hay.

Dawson, Ga., Dispatch: Hon. J. M. Griggs is often seen riding about Dawson in his one-horse wagon gathering up hay and attending to other of his many agricultural purusits. This may sound flat to some, but it shows that "our Jim" is a chip of the true old southern block, and no dudish or plutocratic politician if he does happen to be one of the leading members of the house.

After the Dogs.

Southeast Georgian: It looks as though the days of the worthless dog were numbered. There is quite a decided expression of opinion in favor of a dog law being passed at the next session of the legislature. The good work done at the last session by the representative from Camden, Hon. D. P. Rose, had something to do with arousing the people to the necessity of such a law.

To Speak for Goebel.

Hon. F. G. duBignon, chairman of the democratic state executive committee, has accepted an invitation from Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn, chairman of the Kentucky democratic campaign committee, to deliver a few addresses in behalf of Mr. Goebel, the regular democratic nominee in that state. Invitations have also been extended to Hon. E. T. Brown, Congressmen Livingston, Griggs, Brantley and Howard, and also to Governor Candler and Mr. Clark Howell, democratic national committeeman from Georgia.

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INTERESTING MATTERS DISCUSSED

New Bids Wanted for Street Lighting Contract—The Federation of Trades Has Petition Against Proposed Trip of Soldiers to New York.

Council went on record yesterday afternoon as being in favor of the erection of a viaduct on Whitehall street across the railroads tracks, to extend from Alabama to Marietta streets. Alderman I. S. Mitchell introduced the following resolution, which was passed by unanimous vote:

> Resolved, by the mayor and general council, That preliminary steps be taken looking to the erection of a viaduct on Whitehall street from Alabama to Marietta street. Resolved, further, That a conference be arranged with the railroad authorities relative to what part of the expense they are willing to share in the final construction of the bridge; also that the subject matter contained herein be referred to the committee on bridges.

There was not a single objection offered to the resolution, and this means that council will proceed and erect the viaduct at the earliest opportunity. The Collins Park and Belt Railway Company, which has recently obtained franchises in this part of the city, has offered to give $50,000 toward the viaduct, and it is believed the railroad companies will also give a large share of the total cost.

The general opinion in the council appears to be that the viaduct would be an improvement not only to the immediate neighborhood in which it is to be built, but to the entire city. The majority of the property owners to be affected by the bridge are said to be in favor of it, and the outlook is decidedly brighter than ever before.

This action of the council may lend a new complexion to the depot situation. A viaduct over the tracks would greatly facilitate the erection of a new passenger station on the present site.

The viaduct would also rid Atlanta of the Whitehall street grade crossing, which has been a great drawback to the city. The desired elimination of this evil was largely responsible for the action of the council yesterday afternoon.

Stable Matter Up Again.

George Howard's stable, on Simpson street, which he has rented to the army for its horses, and which is so strenuously objected to by the citizens in the adjacent neighborhood, played a conspicuous part in the council proceedings yesterday afternoon.

It will be remembered that Mr. Howard was fined in the police court on the charge of maintaining a public nuisance and the case was taken to a higher court on a certiorari. Meanwhile the army continued to use the house as a stable, and the citizens continued their objections. The matter was referred to the city attorney for an opinion as to the city's power in the matter and he made a report yesterday.

Judge Anderson stated that there should be no difficulty for the complaining parties to seek redress through the police; that Mr. Howard had been convicted, and that those now running the stables should be convicted and punished; that the law department was ready to lend its assistance toward the enforcement of the ordinance.

Councilman Pope asked the city attorney as to the proper course in the matter, and he replied, to notify the chief of police to enforce the law by arresting those in charge of the stable. The mistake of the petitioners, Judge Anderson stated, was in not taking the matter to the recorder instead of the council at first.

The question naturally arises, who is in charge of the stable, or under whose management is it being operated? The house is rented by the department of the gulf, but as to whom would be liable to arrest is a question unsettled, and on which Judge Anderson refuses to be interviewed.

It is with Chief of Police Manly, therefore, to take the next step. When seen last night he would not make a statement, preferring to fully investigate the matter first.

Protest from Federation.

The Atlanta Federation of Trades passed the following resolution at its last meeting, which was sent to the council yesterday afternoon:

> Resolved, That in as much as the military companies of Atlanta have requested the city to make an appropriation of $1,000 with which to visit New York city on Dewey day, and in as much the funds of the city are now in a crippled condition to-wit: Mayor Woodward has stated publicly that our expenditure on street improvements are now largely in excess of our resources; several of our important streets are now without water mains, much to the detriment of the public health, be it resolved,
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> That our city council be herewith put on notice that we are unalterably opposed to this appropriation being made, or any other appropriation of a similar nature, under the present circumstances; since a great majority of these patriotic citizens failed to take advantage of the opportunity offered of a free trip to Cuba during the Spanish-American war, we are therefore of the opinion that they themselves ought to furnish the means for the intended junket to New York city.
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> MIKE RILEY, President.
> Dennis Lindsey, Secretary.

Later during the session the finance committee recommended that $1,000 be appropriated to the military. The resolution was unanimously adopted. The money will be used for defraying the expenses of the trip to New York.

The Hospital Investigation.

Dr. Visanska's charges against the Grady hospital were read before the council, and on motion of Dr. Roy referred to the hospital committee, the same committee that conducted the investigation some time ago. The charges were substantially the same as have been printed, Dr. Visanska referring to his position at the former investigation as "one torpedo boat against six battleships."

It is hardly probable the hospital committee will undertake another investigation. Unless there is a wonderful change in sentiment before council meets next time, the committee will render a report recommending a material change in the rules of the hospital.

Ansley Gets His Franchises.

Council unanimously adopted the report of the electric railway committee granting Edwin P. Ansley franchises for his electric railway in various parts of the city with which the public is already familiar.

Judge Bloodworth, a resident of South Boulevard, on which one of the franchises was granted, appeared before the council protesting against such a line on his street. He argued that the railroad would be of benefit to no one except the owners of it, and that the residents of South Boulevard were opposed to having their street torn up.

Council also adopted a resolution from the electric light committee calling for new bids for the lighting contract. The resolution provides that all bids must be accompanied by a certified check for $25,000 to be held by the city for the faithful performance of the contract by the successful bidder. The bids are to be opened in October, and from present indications the Georgia Electric Light Company and the Atlanta Railway and Power Company will be the only bidders.

Amendment to the Tax Ordinance.

The tax committee introduced a resolution making a material change in the tax ordinance that will effect every person starting in business. Heretofore it has been the law to require all parties applyinf for a license to pay for the full quarter, no matter how much of that quarter has already passed. The amendment allows the payment for the actual time in the quarter in which business is done. This will be a considerable saving to the business men.

Alderman Turner introduced an ordinance amending the ordinance prohibiting betting in the city on horse races, so as to make it read "against offering to bet" by the addition of the word "offering." Dr. Turner is after the poolrooms in the city where betting on races is being carried on. The paper was referred to the ordinance committee.

The ordinance introduced by Councilman LaHatte that the new code be accepted as the official code of Atlanta was passed. The volume will be out in a short while.

The resolution of Councilman Thompson that $8,500 be appropriated to purchase two new engines for the fire department was referred to the board of firemasters and the finance committee.

The petition of J. A. Patterson to be allowed to pay $60 a year for controlling all the boot black stands in the city was referred to the street and tax committees.

The petition of the Collins Park Railway Company to seek municipal protection on its line to the river was referred to the ordinance committee. It seems the legislature gave the city the right some time ago to extend its police protection to the pleasure resorts on this line, but that the city has never taken such a step.

New Depot at Opelika.

Opelika, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—The Atlanta and West Point railroad is building a $10,000 freight depot here.

A Grocer's
Experience
with
GRAPE-
NUTS

See Below.

A Grocer's Interest Is To Furnish Pure Food.

People do not always realize the personal interest that a first-class grocer takes in the articles of food which he furnishes customers.

Some people believe that the grocer is influenced only by the profit he may derive, and that his recommendations are governed entirely by a mercenary motive, but this is not always true. On the contrary, it is believed that a majority of the better class of grocers are thoroughly honest in their desire to furnish their patrons with really pure and nourishing food.

The following from John Wallgren, a prominent grocer of Portland, Ore., may be of interest: "I am on my tenth case of Grape-Nuts and my trade is still increasing. I have been bothered with a weak stomach for five years. I have tried a number of remedies and patent medicines without help. I am eating Grape-Nuts three times a day and after using three packages I must admit that I am relieved of my weak stomach and feel like a new man."

There is a reason for this. A weak stomach can take Grape-Nuts and digest them without difficulty, for Grape-Nuts are actually pre-digested and ready for immediate transformation into rich blood and good strong tissue, both of muscle and brain. They are generally admitted to be the most scientifically made food in the world, in which the starch of the cereals is transformed into grape sugar and this is done without the use of any sort of drug or acid whatsoever. On the contrary, all of the processes are purely mechanical, using simply moisture, time (in which to grow the diastase) and heat, but the work of the human system is copied almost exactly, with the result that the food is ready for immediate assimilation.

The flavor is exquisite and delicate, the sweet of grape sugar can be detected. The food is absolutely free from cane or beet sugar, but the fine, almost microscopic, particles of grape sugar can be seen glistening on the surface of the small granules. Grape-Nuts with cream furnishes the most delicious breakfast food in existence, and this food is in use now by practically all of the well-to-do families in America. The demand has been so great that the factory has been running steadily both night and day for upward of a year, and the fame of the American breakfast dish has spread to many of the other countries of the world.

GRAND JURY HOT AFTER DEALERS

It Returned Many Indictments Against Cigarette Sellers.

ALL WHO SOLD TO MINORS

Cases Will Be Called In Court Probably Next Week.

DEALERS AWARE OF THE INDICTMENTS

Harry Silverman Says That He Understood That a Large Number of Tobacconists Would Be Proceeded Against in Courts.

The grand jury yesterday returned more than fifty true bills of indictment against city dealers who are said to have disposed of cigarettes to minors. The cases will probably come up in Judge Candler's superior court next week, and heavy fines will doubtless be imposed on many, who, it is alleged, have violated the law on the subject.

The grand jurors refuse to commit themselves in regard to the matter, but it is said that the members considered a mass of evidence and made their returns in accordance. It is understood on good authority that nearly every retail dealer of cigarettes in Atlanta has been indicted, and that the number is not confined to those who deal exclusively in tobacco.

Several days ago it was announced that the police department had already commenced a vigorous warfare against the dealers in the city who were said to be selling cigarettes to young men under age, and that special men were engaged in securing convicting evidence.

It was said that Officer Charles Chosewood, of the police department, was in charge of this work and was being assisted by several boys, who went from store to store to ascertain those dealers that would sell cigarettes to minors. It is understood that this work was practically completed Tuesday evening and that the matter was referred to the members of the grand jury, who immediately began the finding of indictments against all those whose names had been presented to them.

About two years ago a similar crusade was instituted against the dealers and many were fined heavily in the courts. They were also warned that if they were again convicted of the same offense, the full fine would be imposed. It is expected that a fine of $100 in each case will be placed on those found guilty.

Several prominent dealers when asked if they had received any notice that indictments had been made, stated yesterday that it was generally understood that such was the case.

Harry Silverman Talks.

Harry Silverman, one of the large retail tobacconists, said last night that he had heard that the grand jury had returned a true bill against him, but that he did not know positively.

"Two years ago," said Mr. Silverman, "one of my employees sold cigareetes to a minor and I was fined $40 by the court. Since then I have instructed every man in my employ to exercise the utmost care in the matter and to avoid every possible chance of laying the company liable in the courts.

"If any of my men have failed to exercise that caution then I am not advised and in the absence of any official notice on the subject I do not know whether or not the grand jury has returned any indictment against me. I understand from the talk on the streets today that the grand jurors found a number of indictments against dealers this morning, but of course, as the proceedings of the grand jury are all kept a secret, this could not be relied upon.

"However, as I have heard it talked about considerably, it is safe to say that there is something in the report."

Several dealers expressed practically the same thing, and one who said he had received his information from a thoroughly reliable source stated that nearly eighty true bills had been returned yesterday against certain city dealers.

The members of the grand jury had a very busy day yesterday and adjourned at 2 o'clock. The grand jurors will meet again this morning at 10 o'clock, and will take up other matters within their jurisdiction.

DEATH OF FRANK STERLING.

Aged Citizen of the City Passed Away Yesterday—Funeral Will Occur This Afternoon.

Frank Sterling, a prominent citizen of the city, sixty years of age, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Esterly, 42 Windsor street, after a long illness, yesterday.

Mr. Sterling came to this city about five years ago from his home in Syracuse, N. Y., where he lived many years. He has been residing at the home of his daughter since his arrival here, and has many friends who will regret to learn of his demise.

The funeral services will be conducted from the residence of Mrs. Esterly this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, interment taking place at Westview cemetery.

DEATH OF MRS. M. EWING.

Wife of Miles Ewing Passed Away Yesterday at Grady Hospital.

The death of Mrs. Eliza Ewing, the wife of Miles Ewing, occurred at the Grady hospital yesterday:

Mr. Ewing is in the employ of the Western and Atlantic Railroad Company and is well known in the city. Mrs. Ewing was only twenty-six years of age.

The funeral services will be conducted at Fairburn, Ga., this afternoon, the body being taken to that place at 1 o'clock.

The Widow of Senator Bruce.

Tuskegee, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—The widow of the late United States Senator Bruce, of Mississipi, has accepted the position of lady principal of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute at Tuskegee, Ala. Senator Bruce was the only negro who served a full term in the United States senate and was the first negro register of the United States treasury. His widow is a woman of intelligence and is deeply interestted in the cause of industrial education.

SHORTAGE OF HALF MILLION BALES IN COTTON CROP, SAYS STEVENS

Commissioner of Agriculture Makes His Estimate of the Crop After a Tour of the State.

SLUMP AS BIG AS IN TEXAS

Astonishing Conditions Are Found In Middle Georgia.

1,250,000 BALES SHORT IN THE SOUTH

Commissioner Stevens's Last Estimate Is Made After a Careful Inspection of the Crops in Southern and Central Georgia.

Commissioner of Agriculture O. B. Stevens, who returned to Atlanta yesterday morning after a close inspection of the crops throughout middle and south Georgia, stated emphatically that cotton would be at least half a million bales short, and that in order to realize seventy-five per cent of the crop of 1898, conditions would have to remain favorable for some time to come.

Commissioner Steven's estimated recently through the columns of The Constitution that cotton would possibly be twenty per cent short in the state. On the trip from which he has just returned, and which was taken at the solicitation of a number of leading business houses, he found that during the past twenty days especially, conditions had been extremely unfavorable and his conservative estimate therfore that the crop will be found at least half a million bales short will cause surprise in business circles.

Not only has the department of agriculture made a close study of the crops in Georgia, but through correspondence with commissioners of other states, Commissioner Stevens is enabled to estimate with some degree of accuracy what the crop of the south will be.

Over Million Bales Short.

"Estimating that there will be a shortage of half a million bales in the crop of Texas," said Commissioner Stevens, "and at least the same shortage in Georgia, the only other states in the south at present may be counted on for a short crop are North and South Carolina and Alabama. The shortage in these three states will be a nominal one I understand, and together their loss in bales may not go over a quarter of a million.

"There is every reason to believe that the supply in all other southern states than those mentioned will be an average one and we can count therefore on at least a shortage of one million and a quarter bales, or 10,000,000 against 11,250,000 of last year."

This big decrease Commissioner Stevens claims is due to a sudden decrease in the use of fertilizers, a decrease in acreage and to a decidedly unpropitious season.

There was no exception even among farmers that the cotton shortage in the Georgia crop would equal at least the shortage expected in Texas. A prominent official remarked yesterday that even the farmers of Texas, with the biggest and most destructive flood on their hands in the history of the state, managed to make as much cotton proportionately as the farmers of Georgia.

Middle Georgia Crops Are Bad.

Commissioner Stevens stated that he found the crops in southwest and southeast Georgia fair in places and very poor in others. In middle and western Georgia the crop was found to be decidedly better than in any other section of the state, while in middle and east middle Georgia there was practically little or no crops.

In the last thirty days Commissioner Stevens found that the extremely high temperature with hot winds and general lack of moisture had deterioated farming interests to a great extent.

Not only was a big cotton shortage found throughout the state, but the corn crop was found to be especially poor. Of this staple Commissioner Stevens estimates there will be only about two-thirds of the crop of 1898.

TEXAS CROP WILL BE SHORT.

Official Report Shows a Decrease of 36.8 in the Yield.

Galveston, Tex., September 6.—The News tomorrow will print a supplementary report of the cotton crop of Texas and the territories. The review is made up of 385 reports of an average date of September 3d, covering 134 Texas counties and twenty-three points in the Indian and Oklahoma territories.

From these reports the district averages of the probable yield in per centages of decreases from last year's crop are as follows:

Coast counties 29 per cent decrease; east Texas 40 per cent decrease; central Texas 43 per cent decrease; north Texas 45 per cent decrease; southwest Texas 25 per cent decrease; territories 41 per cent decrease.

These reports indicate a decrease in the yield for Texas of 36.8 per cent and for Texas and the territories of 37.5 per cent. The conditions in most parts of the state have grown worse within the past two weeks. Generally speaking, rain came too late to do good, and in those fields, and they are in the majority, where the cotton was open the rain beat it into the ground, doing more harm than good. Taking the state as a whole there has been little benefit where rains fell and where the drought has been continued unbroken the conditions have grown so bad that farmers regard the prospects with gloom.

In the coast country there are a few reports of boll worms and weevils. There has been great deterioration within the past two weeks. In many places the plant is dead and in others it is dying. Some correspondents report that it is absolutely burned up.

The northern district of the sate has suffered most as a result of the drought. The plant in north Texas does not seem to be making any new cotton, but has stopped, as a general thing, which gives rise to the opinion in many part of north Texas that picking will be over before frost comes.

The condition of the farmers does not seem to be very bad. Diversification has saved many a farmer. Thre is but little apparent distress in sight as a result of the disaster to the cotton crop.

NEW CLUBMEN MEET TONIGHT

Enthusiastic Gathering Will Be Held at Kimball House at 8 O'Clock.

There will be an enthusiastic meeting of the members of the new social club in the parlors of the Kimball house tonight at 8 o'clock. All those who were at the first meeting will be present, together with a large number of others who expect to join.

The committee on organization will hold another meeting at the Kimball house this afternoon at 4 o'clock to formulate its report for the meeting tonight. This committee has been hard at work since its appointment, and will have something interesting for the club members.

One feature of this committee's report will be the recommendation that the initiation fee be $20, payable in two installments, and that the dues be $2 a month. This will no doubt be adopted. Another recommendation will be that no one under twenty-one years of age be admitted to membership, this not to apply to those already on the roll who might be under this age.

The committee is negotiating for one of the handsomest residences on Peachtree street for a clubhouse, and from present indications it will be secured. It is the plan of the promoters to make the expenses of the members so nominal that every young man in Atlanta of good social position may be admitted. It is to be a young man's club, and there seems no doubt about its success.

The organization started with thirty members, and it is probable this number will be increased to one hundred tonight. The formal organization will take place at this meeting, including the election of officers, of an executive committee, the selection of a name, etc. The club will be composed of Atlanta's most representative young men, and its prospects are very bright.

POLITICAL POT IS BOILING.

Several Candidates Are Out for Dr. Turner's Place on the Aldermanic Board.

Now that the date for the city primary is fast approaching, city politics is beginning to liven up, and the prospects indicate some lively campaigns this fall.

The greatest interest just now appears to be centered in the race for the vacancy on the aldermanic board, created by the resignation of Dr. Turner.

Among the candidates mentioned for the place are George H. Sims, John Welch, H. M. Beutell, Dr. L. P. Stephens and Dr. W. F. Hammack. All these gentlemen are well known in Atlanta, and have a strong following. It is probable the race will be unusually interesting. It has not been decided yet whether to call the election for October 5th with the primary, or whether to leave the office vacant until December, when the regular election occurs.

If the vacancy is filled in October, a special election will be necessary, which will cost the city several hundred dollars. The general belief seems to be that the seat will be left vacant until December.

The various wards in the city are bringinp forth candidates for council, and the voice of the politician is beginning to be heard in the land.

There is promise of a lively three-cornered race in the second ward between E. W. McNeal, E. S. Lewis and G. A. Ray. Mr. McNeal is the latest to announce. He has been a citizen of Atlanta for twenty years, and would make a valuable public servant. He has several reforms he says he wishes to institute if elected, among them the sprinkling of the streets by the city.

FUNERAL OF PROF. QUICK.

Services Were Conducted Yesterday Afternoon from His Residence on Williams Street.

The funeral exercises of the late Professor Robert W. Quick, who was one of the professors at the Technological school, took place from his residence, 56 Williams street, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A large concourse of friends followed the body, and the faculty of the Technological school acted as pallbearers. The services were very impressive.

The body was interred at Westview cemetery.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 29,602]

Another Tumor Removed by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"Two years ago I was a great sufferer from womb trouble and profuse flowing each month, and tumors would form in the womb. I had four tumors in two years. I went through treatment with doctors, but they did me no good, and I thought I would have to resort to morphine.

"The doctor said that all that could help me was to have an operation and have the womb removed, but I had heard of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine and decided to try it, and wrote for her advice, and after taking her Vegetable Compound the tumors were expelled and I began to get stronger right along, and am as well as ever before. Can truly say that I would never had gotten well had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound."—MARY A. STAHL, WATSONTOWN, PA.

What Mrs. Pinkham's Letter Did.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—After following the directions given in your kind letter for the treatment of leucorrhœa, I can say that I have been entirely cured by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies, and will gladly recommend them to my friends.

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Funeral of Mrs. Bolius.

The funeral services of Mrs. E. H. Bolius, eighteen years of age, who died Tuesday night, took place at South Bend cemetery yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Fire Destroys a Residence.

Opelika, Ala., September 6.—(Special.)—Fire destroyed the residence of Dr. Kennon at Salem yesterday. Loss about $2,000.

DIAMONDS HAVE ADVANCED IN PRICE MORE THAN 20 PER CENT.

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TOD SLOAN THE STAR AT DONCASTER; M'CLURG RUNS FIRST AT SHEEPSHEAD

American Riders in the Money in Each Event of Doncaster September Meeting Yesterday—Sloan Good as Third Four Times.

FLYING FOX WINS AGAIN

"Skeets" Martin Has a Walkover in Bradgate Park Plate.

SLOAN ON CAIMAN RIDES SECOND

In Milton Stakes for Two-Year-Olds, Sloan, on St. Valentine, Finished Second.

London, September 6.—At [illegible] second day of the Doncaster September meeting today the race for the St. Leger stakes was won by the duke of Westminster's bay colt, Flying Fox. Lord William Beresford's chestnut colt Caiman, ridden by Sloan, finished second, and R. A. Oswald's bay colt Scintillat was third. Six horses ran.

This event is of 25 sovereigns each, added, for three-year-olds, the owner of the second horse to receive 300 sovereigns and the third 100 sovereigns out of the stakes; old St. Leger course, about a mile and six furlongs.

Skopos, ridden by L. Reiff, one of the American jockeys, led until ascending the hill, when Flying Fox drew to the front and made the running for the remainder of the distance, winning by three lengths. A length separated the second and third horses. Dominie II, on which "Skeets" Martin had the mount, was among the starters, but was unplaced. The betting previous to the start was as follows: Seven to 2 on Flying Fox; 4 to 1 against Caiman; 300 to 1 against Scintillant; 500 to 1 against Skopos and 33 to 1 against Dominie II.

In the race for the Bradgate Park plate of 200 sovereigns for three-year-olds and upwards up to the time of closing, the second to receive 20 sovereigns out of the plate, entrance 5 sovereigns, Sir R. Waldie Griffith's three-year-old brown filly, Landrail, by St. Serf-Thistlefield, ridden by Martin, had a walkover.

The race for Milton states of 10 sovereigns each, half forfeit with 200 sovereigns added, for two-year-olds, the winner to be sold by auction for 200 sovereigns, was won by Tovarso. St. Valentine, ridden by Sloan, was second, and Forced March was third. Seven horses ran five furlongs. The betting was 9 to 2 against St. Valentine.

The race for the Tattersall sale stakes was won by S. Darling's bay colt Summergale, Mr. Russell Monroe's Victor Wolf was second; J. Musker's brown filly, Edith Crag, ridden by Sloan, finished third. This event is of 20 sovereigns each, 10 sovereigns forfeit and only 5 sovereigns if declared by the first Tuesday in June, 1899, with 500 sovereigns added, 300 sovereigns by the corporation of Doncaster and 200 sovereigns by Messrs. Tattersall, for two-year-olds, sold by Messrs. Tattersall during the previous year; the second horse to receive 100 sovereigns and the third 50 sovereigns out of the stakes, seven furlongs. Six horses ran. The betting was 7 to 2 against Edith Crag.

The race for the Cleveland handicap plate was won by Mr. M. Rivers's four-year-old brown filly, Little Eva. Lord William Beresford's six-year-old bay horse, Knight of the Thistle, ridden by Sloan, was second, and Lord Elsmere's Pheon third. Seven horses ran.

This event is of 500 sovereigns for three-year-old and upwards, the owner of the second horse to receive 50 sovereigns out of the plate; entrance 5 sovereigns for non-starters and 10 sovereigns for starters; the Sandall mile. The betting was 7 to 4 against Knight of the Thistle.

STAR POINTER IS DEFEATED.

A New Trotting Champion, Joe Patchen, Goes to the Front.

New York, September 6.—Fifteen thousand enthusiastic spectators were at the Empire City trotting track today to see the great race between the star pacers, Star Pointer, Joe Patchen, John R. Gentry and Searchlight. The last named was not in condition and did not start.

In the betting ring there was a surging crowd only too anxious to bet 100 to 30 on Star Pointer against the field. They got away for the first heat on the fourth break like a triple team and when the word was given, Pointer at once started out to win, while Patchen hung on to the favorite's wheel with grim determination of a veteran.

Around the back stretch the conflict was close and exciting and the public almost lost sight of John R. Gentry, as he was several lengths away. Into the stretch they came, Star Pointer on his courage and Joe Patchen desiring to beat his old and mighty antagonist, but Star Pointer beat him out by a neck in 2:04¼.

In the second heat they were bunched to the quarter, where Patchen assumed the lead and held it clear to the wire, in spite of the determined efforts of McCleary, who was driving Star Pointer. Patchen won by a length, with Gentry several lengths in the rear. Time, 2:02¾. This is the fastest mile paced in a race this season.

There was now a rush to cover amongst the speculators who recognized that the old-time pacing king was to be dethroned and they made no mistake.

As soon as the word was given Joe Patchen started out to complete his victory, and he did it in a most effectual manner. Star Pointer broke so badly that he was distanced and John R. Gentry was utterly unable to compete with the horse he beat at Rochester yesterday and which beat him at Goshen. The time for the last heat was 2:04¼. It was announced that Star Pointer would never race again.

Scrofula.

Mrs. Ruth Berkely, Salina, Kas., says: "One of my grandchildren had a severe case of Scrofula, which spread and formed sores all over her body. Her eyes were attacked, and we feared she would lose her sight. The best physicians treated her, but she grew worse, and her case seemed hopeless. We then decided to try Swift's Specific, and that medicine at once made a complete cure. She has never had a sign of the disease to return."

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MUSETTE AN EASY WINNER

Fast Two-Year-Old Took the Belles Stakes from Field of Twelve.

M'CLURG WON RUSSELL AT GOOD ODDS

Voter's Performance of a Mile in 1:40 4-5 After a Pulling Up Was the Feature.

New York, September 6.—The Belles stakes and the Russell handicap were the features on the card at Sheepshead Bay race track today. The former was for two-year-old fillies over the futurity course, Iroquoise Belle was made the favorite with Musette second choice.

The start was good, and Musette went out to make the running, closely attended by Runaway Girl and Oneck Queen. That order was maintained to the end, Musette winning easily.

Prince McClurg at the good price of 10 to 1 took the Russell handicap. He lay well behind his field to the stretch and then came on and won easily.

The feature of the day was Voter's mile in 1:40 4-5, winning pulled almost to a walk, with Admiration and other good ones behind him. Summaries:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs: Belle of Orleans, 99, Dupee, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, won by a length, Posthaste, 106, Clawson, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Herbert, 107, Wilson, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time 1:16 1-5. Bold Knight, Rose Clark, Dangerous Maid, Lady Massey, Estill, Ceylon, Beverage and Mynheer also ran.

SECOND RACE—One mile: Voter, 120, Spencer 3 to 1 and even, won; Peep O'Day, 124, Maher, 12 to 1 and5 to 1, second; Admiration, 114, Clawson, 9 to 5 and 4 to 5, third. Time 1:40 4-5. Box, Kinnikinnic, Lothario, Star of Bethlehem and Mariti also ran.

THIRD RACE—The Belles, futurity course: Musette, 107, Shaw, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Runaway Girl, 100, Odom, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Oneck Queen, 115, Maher, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time 1:10 3-5. Prejudice, Motley, Lady Contrary, Andrisa, Primrose Day, Lady Uncas, Smoke and Iroquoise Belle also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs: K. C. B., 116, Odom, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, won by one length; Vera Cruz, 111, Spencer, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, second; Emigree, 113, Wilson, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time 1:17 2-5. Gold Standard, Waterhouse, Tourane, Alice Nise, Keeptime, Uamvar, Sharpless, Anna Belle, Amorita, Rose O'Lee, Dr. Fitzsimmons, Morose, Lio D'Or, Radford and Dora F., also ran.

FIFTH RACE—One mile and a furlong: selling: Rare Perfume, 107, O'Leary, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, won by one and one-half lengths; Maximo Gomez, 107, Spencer, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5, second; Piccola, 98, Dupee, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, third. Time 1:56 2-5. Banished, Maurice, Wolhurst, Hardly, Manassas and Blueway also ran.

SIXTH RACE—The Russell handicap, one and one-half miles: Prince McClurg, 116, O'Connor, 10 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Thomas Cat, O'Leary 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; The Bachelor, 125, Clawson, 3 to 1 and even, third. Time 2:38 1-5. Bon Ino and George Eoyd also ran.

Entries for Today at Sheepshead.

First Race—Handicap, last five and one-half furlongs of futurity course: Cleora, 117; Montanic, 112; Ildrim, 111; Waring, The Chamberlain, Boundlee, 110; Mauvilla, MacFlecknoe, All Gold, 107; Flower of Gold, 106; La Tosca II, 102; Eileen Daly, 106.

Second Race—Selling, mile: Maurice, 121; Monadour, 114; Cathedral, 112; Lady Meddlesome, 104.

Third Race—Golden Rod stakes, six and one-half furlongs on turf: Gulden, 115; Inishfree, 110; Misercordia, 102; Colonel Roosevelt, Native, Petruchio, Kilogram, 100.

Fourth Race—The September stakes, one mile and three furlongs: Prince McClung, 131; Kinley Mack, 129; MacLeod of Dare, 119; Batten, 112; Kirkwood, 104.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs: Isidor, Gesarion, 133; Heliobus, 126; Waring, 103; Montanic, 100.

Sixth Race—High weight handicap, mile and a furlong on turf: Decanter, 137; May Hempstead, 130; Hurly Burly, 120; Galahad, King Barleycorn, 114; Maid of Harlem, 112; Sir Hubert, 105.

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WEIGHTS FOR AUTUMN CUP.

Horses from Whom the Entries Are To Be Taken.

New York, September 6.—Following are the weights for the Autumn cup, two miles, to be run Saturday, September 9th, at Sheepshead bay.

Ben Holiday 126, Bangle 123, Tillo 122, Previous 120, Box 118, Prince McClurg 117, The Bachelor 116, Ethelbert, the Friar 115, Thomas Cat 113, The Roman 112, Admiration, Laverock, Manuel Approval 110, Candleback 109, Jefferson, Warrenton, Muskadine, Meadow Thorpe 103, Filigrane 107, Latson 105, Knight of the Garter, Wait Not 100, George Boyd 90.

Cook's Imperial Champagne Extra Dry for the yacht, camping party, summer hotel, fishing party, mountain, seashore, or the picnic.

The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof. You can buy Isaacs Pens at $1 per gross or 6 gross for $5. For sale by John M. Miller Co., 39 Marietta street, Atlanta, Ga. Samples free.

Note—These pens are warranted to be made from selected stock and are care-

A Correction.

Editor Constitution—In your issue of August 31, 1899, in article headed "Home Mission Society Elects Officers and Then Adjourns."

By a misquotation on part of your reporter, I suppose, a great reflection has been cast upon our consecrated and faithful corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. R. Kendall.

A word left out or one substituted changes the entire meaning of an expression or sentence. Please allow me to correct this quotation.

"Mrs. M. L. Eve was not in favor of Mrs. Kendall accepting any responsible office at all."

"I should have been thus correctly quoted: "Mrs. M. L. Eve thought it unwise, on account of the present physical condition of Mrs. Kendall, for her to hold any responsible office, but that complete rest should be given her."

Your article may have left upon the minds of some of our north Georgia workers this false impression, that our corresponding secretary, Mrs. T. R. Kendall, was disqualified, or from some serious objection was unable to fill the office of president. I am quite sure this was not in the hearts of any of its members and especially of the writer, but an earnest solicitude for her health and a speedy restoration of so zealous a laborer to so grand a cause.

Mrs. Kendall's seven years' hard work has proven beyond a doubt her devotion, fidelity and ability to fill the chair as president as efficiently as she has as corresponding secretary. Respectfully,

MRS. M. L. EVE.

Atlanta, Ga.

RESULT OF POLICE RACES

Large Audience Witnesses the Entertainment at the Coliseum.

WELLS WINS ONE MILE RACE

Dorsey Wins One Mile Handicap After a Very Warm Contest.

A large audience witnessed the police bicycle races last night at the Colliseum.

The result of the races was as follows:

First Event—A mile handicap, was won by R. D. Dorsey; J. E. Chandler, second.

Second Event—One mile qualification, was won by H. T. Wells; Dorsey also qualifying.

Third Event—One mile qualification, was won by S. B. Bankston.

Fourth Event—Tandem match race between Lindorme and Jones on one wheel, and Gray and Rather on the other, was won by the latter.

Fifth Event—One mile final, was won by Wells.

Seventh Event—Second heat of tandem match race, was won by Gray and Rather.

Eighth Event—Consolation race, entries Martin, Cornett, Goree and Hewell, was won by Martin.

Tenth Event—Australian pursuit race, entries Goree, Cornett, Martin and Hewell, was won by Goree.

Excellent time was made in all the races.

The races will take place again tonight and tomorrow night.

Tonight and tomorrow night ladies will be admitted free if accompanied by escorts.

There will be many special features tonight, one being a match race in which a challenge has been made and accepted between two of the best local amateur riders.

The races are for the benefit of the police Relief Association, and those attending will enjoy a most pleasant evening besides aiding a most worthy cause.

Fine music has been secured.

Races tonight begin at 8:30 o'clock.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Brooklyn 6, New York 4.

New York, September 6.—The Brooklyns won their fourth straight game from the New Yorks today. Attendance, 1,260. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
New York	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0—4		4	1
Brooklyn	3 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 *—6		11	4

Batteries—Doheny and O'Neill; McJames and Farrell. Umpires, Emslie and Dwyer. Time, 1:57.

Pittsburg 5, Chicago 4.

Chicago, September 6.—The Jonahs tied the score in the fourth and won out in the eighth on two hits and a steal. Attendance, 600. Score.

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4		11	3
Pittsburg	1 0 1 2 0 0 0 1 0—5		10	1

Batteries—Garvin and Donahue; Leever and Bowerman. Umpires, O'Day and McDonald. Time, 1:40.

Baltimore 5, Boston 3.

Boston, September 6.—After Lowe had tied the score in the ninth by a home run today, Baltimore won by hard and consecutive hitting in the tenth. Attendance, 2,200. Score:

		R.	H.	E.
Boston	0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0—3		9	4
Baltimore	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 2—5		10	1

Batteries—Lewis and Bergen; Nops, Smith and Robinson. Umpires, Snyder and McGarr. Time, 2:27.

Dalton and Cartersville Break Even.

Dalton, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Dalton defeated Cartersville again this evening by a score of 18 to 12, making two games out of three won by Dalton team. Cartersville won the game this morning.

Rome 11, Union 4.

Rome, Ga., September 6.—(Special.)—Rome beat Union, S. C., hands down this afternoon. The whole visiting team was up in the air and Rome put runners over the plate almost at will. The two teams have played five games, each winning two—the other, a ten-inning game, being a tie. The final game for the championship will be played tomorrow, Newman twirling for Union and Bankston for Rome. This will end the season here, as Rome will disband next Tuesday. The score:

		R.	H.	E.
Rome	4 4 0 0 0 0 0 1 2—11		6	3
Union	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 0—4		7	8

Batteries—Chambers and Accorsini; McMakin and Matthews.

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No money in advance. Weak, stunted, shrunken and feeble portions of the body quickly enlarged and strengthened. Medicines and instrument sent on trial. Medical indorsements. Particulars sent in plain sealed letter. Correspondence confidential.

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TAX LEVY.

Office Commissioners of Roads and Revenues, Atlanta, Ga., September 6, 1899.—It is ordered that there be collected by the tax collector for Fulton county, or his successor in office, the following tax for county puposes for the fiscal year 1899, to-wit: To build and repair public buildings and bridges, two and three-tenths cents, being $11,669.54; to maintain and support prisoners, twenty and four-tenths cents, being $103,503.73; to pay jurors and expenses of courts, eleven and four-tenths cents, being $57,840.32, of which four and nine-tenths cents, being $24,861.19, is to pay jurors, and six and five-tenths cents, being $32,979.13 is to pay the expenses of courts; for coroner, seven-tenths cents, being $3,551.60; for litigation, four-tenths cents, being $2,029.48; for quarantine, four-tenths cents, being $2,029.49; for the support of paupers, one and eight-tenths cents, being $9,132.68; making a total of thirty-seven and four-tenths cents on the one hundred dollars levied for the year 1899, as provided by law.

A true extract from the minutes of the commissioners of roads and revenues.

ANTON L. KONTZ,
Clerk Commissioners of Roads and Revenues, Fulton County, Georgia.
September 7-14-21-28.

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of an order granted by his honor, J. H. Lumpkin, Judge of the Superior Court of Fulton County, I will sell at public outcry, to the highest and best bidder, at 128½ Whitehall street, in the city of Atlanta, on the 8th day of September, 1899, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., all the assets and property of every kind belonging to the Atlanta Business College, consisting of typewriters, chairs, desks, office furniture, banking furniture, stationery, stoves, notes, accounts, choses in action and all other effects of every kind and character belonging to said Business College. This August 28th, 1899.

S. J. HALL, Receiver.

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AFTER FOUR WEEKS' NOTICE, pursuant to section 2546 of the Civil Code, on September 9, 1899, a petition will be presented to Hon. C. G. Janes, judge of the superior court of Paulding county, at chambers at Cedartown, in Polk county, Georgia, applying to him for permission for E. L. Head, guardian of Lucile O. Head, to sell certain hereinafter described property and reinvest the proceeds for the reasons hereinafter set out. Said property is situated in Fulton county, Georgia, in the third ward of the city of Atlanta, beginning at a point 43 feet south of Crumley street, on the east side of Reid street, and running thence south 86 feet, and from this frontage extending back east of same width 90 feet. Said property is surrounded by negro property, is unsuitable as a home for said ward, and does not yield an income commensurate with the amount of the estate so invested.

E. L. HEAD,
Guardian for Lucile O. Head.
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Of course modern machinery has rounded out the roughness found in the old pieces—it's only the rich, dark color of the finish and the general lines and carvings which characterized the Old Flemish style that is shown on our floors. Look these over, it's a treat merely to look through.

Flemish Oak Chairs, set of 8	$35.00 to $68.00	Flemish Oak Sideboards	$25.00 to $165
Flemish Oak Tables	$17.50 to $65.00	Flemish Oak China Closets	$25.00 to $35.00
Flemish Oak Buffets	$12.50 to $17.50.		

Two Special Tables.

One a small table suitable for sitting, living and bedrooms, the other a dining table. Both of our usual high quality. Because the price is about one-third less than usual it is not to be taken for granted that it is lessened because of quality, but rather because of the number bought.

ANTIQUE ASH PARLOR TABLE size 24x24 inch top, with lower shelf, very high polish finish, a table in size suitable for a hundred uses about a home; special prices............1.00

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Did you ever make note of what an immense room we occupy with carpets? No. Well, it is like this: Go back fifty feet from the bridge entrance from the dry goods room and there is a carpet room far above the ordinary size; go back fifty feet further and there is another carpet room of more than ordinary size; go back still fifty feet further and there is a larger carpet floor than either of the others mentioned. Here are virtually *three carpet rooms*, every one of them having larger floor space and are heavier stocked than the majority of carpet stores. Now what does this mean—what is a reasonable conclusion?

A few years ago we were scarcely known in carpets, now we occupy the *largest single floor carpet room* in the United States. There is but one answer, there can be but one deduction, and that is: That we have never carried a yard of carpet, but what was a good one; that we have never charged a price but what was a fair and honest one; that when an order was placed with us it had our best attention, and that the confidence the trade has had in us since we started 33 years ago was not abused. If these things will not build up a carpet business, what will?

All Wool Ingrains	50c yard up	Axminster	$1.00 yard up
Tapestry Brussels	65c yard up	Velvets	$1.00 yard up
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NOTICE TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.

Bids for gradation, bridging and trestling will now be received by the Chattahoochee Valley Railroad Company at its office in West Point, Ga., for the extension of its road. Profiles and estimates can be seen at its office in West Point. Bids will be considered on the 15th instant.

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FULTON COUNTY'S GREAT INCREASE

Digest Shows an Advance Over Last Year.

DILATORY LIST $611,790

Few Defaulters Have Been Double Taxed.

LIST WAS COMPLETED YESTERDAY

Many Taxpayers of the County Seized the Opportunity To Get on the Dilatory List To Escape the Double Tax.

The defaulters and dilatory lists were completed by County Tax Receiver T. M. Armistead yesterday and the county tax digest now shows a great increase over the figures of last year. According to the digest the county is ahead this year by $668,999.

When the tax books closed on July 1st and after the totals had been announced, it was found that the county was behind something over $200,000, when compared with the returns for 1898.

The list at that time did not include the defaulters, as it was impossible then to determine who they were with any great certainty, and after the digest was sent to the comptroller general he advised that a dilatory list be inaugurated so as to receive the returns of all the tardy county taxpayers.

With this end in view Tax Receiver Aristead began the preparation of a defaulters' list and sent out hundreds of notices to those who failed to make their returns on time, allowing them until September 1st to make returns without having to pay a double tax.

The result was all that had been hoped for the movement. Hundreds of property owners besieged the tax receiver's office and returns came in rapidly. On one of two days as much as $100,000 was given in between the time of the opening of the office until the close of the doors during the afternoon.

Saturday this dilatory list was closed and all who had failed to make returns were double taxed and placed on the defaulters' list. The defaulters' list was finished yesterday and will be turned over to Tax Collector Stewart at once, that he may begin the active work of bringing all delinquents to time.

The present appearance of the tax digest shows a healthy increase over the returns of last year, and 1898, it will be remembered, was an increase over the previous year.

The list shows that a double tax of $294,900 represents the defaulters on property, $320 on professions, and $204 on poll taxes. There are comparatively few names on the defaulters list, and the aggregate figures are very much smaller than it was at first supposed they would be.

The dilatory list shows $611,790 as having been returned on property, $90 on professions, and $80 on polls during the past month.

The following shows the combined figures:

Total July 1st..	$50,125,334
Dilatory list September 1st..	611,790
Defaulters' list..	294,900
Total for 1899..	$51,032,024
Total for 1898..	50,363,025
Increase for 1899, including defaulters. . . .	$ 668,999

"The prudent man setteth his house in order." The human tenement should be set in order by thoroughly purifying your blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then you will enjoy health.

ONE NEGRO SHOOTS ANOTHER

Clese Anderson Shot Jetty Williams During a Quarrel—Anderson Escapes.

Yesterday afternoon Clese Anderson, a negro, shot Jetty Williams, another negro, near the corner of Forsyth and Garnett streets.

Williams was badly wounded and may die. He was taken to the Grady hospital.

Anderson escaped and the officers are looking for him.

The row was about a woman, and when the two men met they began to quarrel. Anderson drew his pistol and fired one shot and ran away.

The ball entered Williams's abdomen, producing a very serious wound.

CONVICTION IN POOL CASES.

James Lynch and Ernest Looney Are Fined—Cases Were Appealed.

Yesterday afternoon James Lynch and Ernest Looney were arraigned in the police court on the charge of running a place in the city where betting on horse races was allowed.

This made the fourth time that similar cases were tried and were a continuance of the old poolroom cases.

Lynch was fined $100 and costs, and Looney $50 and costs.

The evidence for the city was that Lynch and Looney were working in a place on Forsyth street where it was alleged bets on horse races were made.

The defense had witnesses to show that they were employed at the place and that only money was received to be transmitted to a turf exchange outside the city.

The testimony on both sides was about the same as that which has been given in the former cases.

The fines were held up and the defendants will make an appeal.

These make four cases that have been convicted in the police court and all have been appealed.

W. R. Cannon was fined $100 and Sam Wall $100.

The cases will all be taken up together.

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HIS RESIGNATION WAS AGREEABLE

How Rev. J. C. Newman Retired as Pastor of Kirkwood Baptist Church.

THE VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS

Something Behind the Affair That Will Not Be Given Out.

THE RESIGNATION WAS PRECIPITATED

He Wanted To Leave on 1st of November, but the Deacons Wanted Resignation at Once.

Last night the resignation of Rev. J. C. Newman, pastor of the Kirkwood Baptist church, was accepted by his congregation.

Behind this resignation seems to be an interesting story, which the members of the church will not make public.

Rev. Newman's resignation had been precipitated by the wishes of his flock. He was never asked to resign, but, as a member expressed it last night to a reporter of The Constitution, "his resignation came just in time to save both himself and the congregation any embarrassment."

The congregation, by its unanimous vote last night, indicated clearly that the resignation was wanted.

And the fact that he had first sent it in to "take effect the first of November," and that the church deacons wrote him a letter telling him that his resignaion would be more acceptable if it took effect at once, is further proof that the church no longer wanted Mr. Newman as its pastor.

The statement that the church was divided about the retirement of Rev. Newman is a mistake. There was no division when the vote was taken last night, and it was unanimous for the acceptance of the resignation.

There Had Been a Division.

There had been a division in the church about the retirement of the former pastor, but that had been healed over. It is said that about twenty-two members of the congregation had wanted to retain the old pastor before Mr. Newman was called, and that twenty-two were in favor with the others of Mr. Newman withdrawing.

The members of the Kirkwood Baptist church met last night after prayer meeting and the resignation of Mr. Newman was read. The four deacons—Messrs. J. D. Hardin, W. M. Reed, J. M. Selkirk and W. O. Bowden—presented a letter from the pastor in which he said he was willing to resign and to have the resignation take effect at once.

What His Friends Say.

Mr. Newman, it is said, has stated that he received a call from a church in New York, and his friends say that was the cause of his resigning when he did. In reply to this the members of the church and the deacons merely say that the resignation was very "opportune."

As to the cause of the congregation wishing Mr. Newman to retire, none outside the members seem to know anything about it, and the members will not talk, at least not to the newspapers. The only authentic statement to be had is about as follows:

How the Congregation Talks.

"We were not exactly pleased with Mr. Newman's connection with our church as pastor. We have no reflection to make upon him as a minister. As a pastor he did not suit us, and we believed it to be for the best interest of the church for him to retire. We never asked him to resign. He resigned at a very opportune time and we were saved much embarrassment. He wanted his resignation to take effect the first of November and the deacons kindly wrote him that the resignation would be more acceptable if it took effect at once, and he decided to let it take effect at once. More than that we cannot say."

He Was Pastor One Year.

Mr. Newman came to Atlanta and to the Kirkwood church about a year ago. There had been a division in the church about the former pastor retiring, but with the call of Mr. Newman all differences were wiped out and it was thought the church would henceforth enjoy peace and harmony.

Mr. Newman came here from Milledgeville. He will probably go to New York, where, it is said, he has received a call.

The Kirkwood Baptist church is now ready to call a new pastor.

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing, you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cents. Sold by all druggists.

A SAVINGS BANK.

The Georgia Savings Bank and Trust Company in Its New Home.

The Georgia Savings Bank and Trust Company has moved its office from the Brown building to 19 South Broad street. Here it is comfortably and conveniently located with new and up-to-date bank fixtures.

It is one of the original savings banks of the city, and is understood to be doing wonderfully well. It was founded a few years ago by Messrs. George M. Brown and W. R. Hoyt, and recently incorporated under the name of the Georgia Savings Bank and Trust Company.

Its officers are George M. Brown, president; Eugene C. Spaulding, vice president, and William R. Hoyt, secretary and treasurer.

Among its directors are Joseph A. McCord, John Oliver, John A. Miller, John L. Tye, and Elijah A. Brown.

The bank is doing a regular savings bank business, and will accept deposits from $1 up. An institution of this kind has been needed in Atlanta for a long time, and the fact that it has been permanently established and backed by able financiers with plenty of money insures success.

It is a good idea to save your money, and you can do it in no better way than depositing it in a first-class bank where you will be allowed a liberal interest for the use of your money.

W. C. T. U.

The superintendents of departments for the Atlanta South Side Woman's Christian Temperance Union and leaders of Loyal Temperance Legions are requested to bring written reports of their work in August to the meeting to be held in Good Templars' hall, No. 72½ N. Broad street, Thursday, September 7th, at 3:30 o'clock.

TAX RATE HAS BEEN REDUCED

County Commissioners Adopt $3.74 on the $1,000.

FAVORED COMMITTEE REPORT

Commissioner Walter Brown Advocated a Radical Reduction.

MR. ADAIR FAVORED VOTE OF $3.24

The Entire Board a Unit in the Matter of Lowering the County Tax Rate Below the Figures of Last Year.

The board of county commissioners at its regular monthly meeting held yesterday fixed the tax rate of Fulton county at $3.74 on the $1,000 for the ensuing year. This rate was recommended by the finance committee of the board, which met half an hour before the regular session to formulate a report on the subject.

Before final action was taken, however, considerable discussion was had by the members as to the levy to be made and Commissioner Walter R. Brown, in a speech to the board, advocated reducing the county tax rate to $1.20 on the $1,000. This would have made a reduction of $3.74 on the $1,000, the exact figures of the rate that was finally decided upon.

Commissioner Forrest Adair also favored a radical reduction and gave as his opinion that the amount that would be raised on a levy of $3.84 on the $1,000, together with outside sources that might be counted upon, would be ample for the the needs of the county business.

Commissioner Adair's motion that the tax rate be fixed at the figures he suggested was voted down by a vote of 3 to 2 and when the original recommendation of the finance committee came up for consideration it was adopted by a vote of 4 to 1, Commissioner Brown voting against it, stating as he did so that he felt convinced that the rate he had suggested and the one advocated by Commissioner Adair were practicable.

It is estimated that under the new tax levy fully $189,656.84 will be raised for county purposes, to which may be added $15,000 from the railway tax and other sources other than the levy. The county now owns considerable valuable real estate and it is probable that this may be sold at a handsome figure to swell the funds of the county.

Extension of Time Granted.

The committee on public buildings, having charge of the selection of the plans for the new courthouse annex, was accorded an extension of time in which to hold a meeting and prepare recommendations to the board of commissioners. This committee, however, will not hold a special session, but will make its report to the board at the called meeting of the commissioners.

Judge Robert L. Rodgers appeared before the board to be heard on the matter of destitute ex-confederates who had entered the alms house, but had subsequently left the place, and asked that the county supply them with food and clothing. Judge Rodgers contended that they were entitled to this support whether they were in the alms house or not.

The board took issue with the representative of the veterans and asserted that it was a question whether they should be allowed to enter the alms house, then quit it, and then be asked to be taken back whenever they so desired. Chairman Palmer, of the alms house committee, stated that the county was already taking care of a number of destitute ex-confederates that were not in the almshouse, but did not think it right that veterans that had elected to enter the home should withdraw at will and then demand support from the county, when it might be found that they were being supported by relatives or friends.

The matter was finally referred to the almshouse committee with power to act and to so adjust all differences to the entire satisfaction of every one concerned. Judge Rodgers stated that this disposition of the matter was perfectly satisfactory to him and would be to those whom he represented.

Meeting of the Board.

Promptly at 10 o'clock Chairman Palmer called the meeting to order and all the members of the board were in their accustomed seats. A number of citizens were in the room waiting to offer petitioners asking that work be done on certain roads in the county.

Attorney C. T. Ladson, representing many citizens living near Westview cemetery, presented a petition asking that a smooth paving be laid on Lucile avenue from Ashby street in West End to Gordon street and thence to the cemetery. He stated that this road was one that would be a direct route from the city to the cemetery, and would be popular if it was properly paved. He said that only about one mile of paving would be necessary to put the road in excellent shape.

Colonel John B. Goodwin and J. T. Dargan also made short talks urging that the board act favorably on the petition, and Commissioner Adair moved that the work be referred to the committee on public works with power to act. He subsequently amended this motion by adding that the work be done as soon as the work on the Mason Turner's Ferry road was completed.

Commissioner Adair pave it as his opinion that the Mason Turner's Ferry road work would be finished in a short time, and then President Ernest Woodruff, of the Atlanta Railway and Power Company, stated that it would be impossiple for his company to secure a supply of new rails to be put down on the road to the cemetery in less than two months. Commissioner Adair then withdrew his amendment, and the matter was referred to the committee with power to act.

Request Was Declined.

A petition from Venable Brothers, asking that the county use stone that had been delivered along the Western and Atlantic railway, and that the county advance $2,500 on the stone to pay the last year taxes of the petitioners, was declined.

The board decided that the county did not need the stone at this time, and further, that, according to a contract made with Venable Brothers several years ago, the county was under no obligations to purchase the stoneat any price.

Both the petition of W. A. Bradley, asking that streets in the Cook's district be declared public roads, and that of the commission of Grant Park requesting that work on Sydney street be completed, were referred to the committees having jurisdiction over such matters.

Having disposed of a number of minor matters the board then took up the question of fixing the county tax rate for the ensuing year.

The report of the finance committee was presented by Judge E. B. Rosser, as chairman of that committee, and read. He stated that he and Commissioner Anderson, as members of the committee, held a meeting before the regular session of the board, and had prepared the committee's recommendation that the tax rate be fixed at $3.74 on the $1,000, or 3.74 mills on the dollar. He said that this had been considered a good reduction compared to the rate of last year, and that the amount which would be raised on the levy of last year, and that the amount which would be raised on the levy at this figure would be adequate for the county's purposes.

Brown Wanted Low Rate.

Commissioner Walter R. Brown then arose and made a short address to the board in which he stated that although a member of the finance committee he favored a rate of $1.20 on the $1,000, which after a thorough investigation and study of the subject, was, in his estimation, a rate that could be maintained without injury to the county.

In advocating a low rate, Mr. Brown said:

"The question of taxation is one of arithmetic. The total amount of the digest, the sum necessary to run the government and the amount of the tax levy necessary to produce the needed expenditures—these questions answered, fixes the tax levy.

"Five years ago the board inherited a floating debt of $80,000 from a former board of commissioners upon which the county was paying eight per cent interest. This indebtedness has been liquidated, besides the most magnificent jail in the south has been erected and paid for; $100,000 has been raised for the building of a new court house; 100 acres of land, known as the Howell tract, has been purchased for the new barracks in the northern part of the county; many miles of macadam and chert roads built, and several new bridges constructed within the past five years. On January 1st last, there was a balance in the county treasury amounting to about $165,000. This shows that the county of Fulton is in a healthy, magnificent financial condition.

Adair Advocated $3.24.

Commissioner Forrest Adair moved that the tax rate be fixed at $3.24 on the $1,000, which was 50 cents less than that recommended by the finance committee.

"I agree with Commissioner Brown that the rate can be considerably lowered," said Commissioner Adair, "and during the past few days I have given the matter much serious thought. I am firmly convinced that the rate that I have just recommended will be sufficient to meet every demand made by the business of the county.

"Our expenses this year will be comparatively light. We have no new jail to build, we are buying less chert, and we are hiring fewer convicts to work on the county roads. Our outside revenues will, in my opinion, amount to a large sum, and this, added to the money that may be raised on the levy that I have suggested, will be ample for the conduct of the business of the county.

Commissioner Anderson said that he favored $3.74 on the $1,000, as in his opinion it was a fair and conservative rate.

"I think," said he, "that we should not run the risk of getting into a condition which, by next year, might compel us to levy a larger tax rate to make up for a deficit that might occur this year if a very radical reduction is adopted."

"Well," said Commissioner Brown, "if you make a radical reduction you will find millions more on the tax digest next year, and it will be an inducement for people to move here. The county would benefit in the long run by such a reduction, and in the vote that may be taken I shall call for the ayes and nays."

Chairman Palmer then took part in the discussion, and said that during last year, when the tax rate was $4.94 on the $1,000, there was only about $62,000 in the treasury of the county, and that in consequence an invasion had been made on the courthouse fund.

Commissioner Adair's motion was then put and lost by the vote of 3 to 2, Commissioners Anderson, Palmer and Rosser voting against it. The motion of Commissioner Anderson, that the recommendation of the finance committee be adopted, was carried by a vote of 4 to 1, Commissioner Brown voting against it.

Brown Wants Cases Pressed.

After the tax rate matter had been definitely settled, Commissioner Brown moved that the county attorney be instructed by the board to make an effort to have the courts move as quickly in the matter of passing upon the cases of fi. fa. levies that have been made against certain corporations, which the county claims owe back taxes .

"We want this matter settled as soon as possible," said Commissioner Brown, "and the sooner the courts pass upon it the better. If the county's claims are correct and this money should be paid, then we want to know it. The courts should be urged to take up the matter at the earliest possible moment."

Commissioner Brown's motion met a unanimous assent from all the commissioners, and in consequence a decided effort will be made to have the question settled as soon as possible.

The estimate presented by a majority of the members of the finance committee was as follows:

Digest 1899.	Tax Levy.	Total Ta.x
$50,737,124	.00374	$189,656.34
To build and repair public buildings and bridges.....	.00025	11,669.54
To maintain and support prisoners..	.00204	103,503.73
To pay jurors..	.00049	24,861.19
To pay expenses of courts....	.00065	32,979.13
For coroner..	.00007	3,551.60
For litigation..	.0004	2,029.48
For quarantine	.00004	2,029.49
For support of paupers..	.00018	9,132.68
	.00374	$189,656.84

The 1899 Tax Levy.

The official tax levy, as made by the board of county commissioners, is as follows:

"It is ordered that there be collected by the tax collector of Fulton county, or his successor in office, the following tax for county purposes for the fiscal year 1899, to-wit: To build and repair public buildings and bridges, two and three-tenths cents, being $11,669.54; to maintain and support prisoners, twenty and four-tenths cents, being $103,503.73; to pay jurors and expenses of courts, eleven and four-tenths cents, being $57,840.32, of which four and nine-tenths, being $24,861.19, is to pay jurors, and six and five-tenths cents, being $32,979.13, is to pay the expenses of courts; for coroner, seven-tenths cents, being $3,551.60; for litigation, four-tenths cents, being $2,024.48; for quarantine, four-tenths cents, being $2,029.49; for the support of paupers, one and eight-tenths cents, being $9,132.68; maing a total of thirty-seven and four-tenths cents on the one hundred dollars levied for the year 1899, as provided by law."

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LOST OR STOLEN—Large Jersey cow with left hip lowest, at 6 o'clock yesterday morning from 53 Simpson street. Return the cow and receive reward.

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FOR SALE—Atlanta Standard Telephone stock and bonds, at 50 cents on the dollar, by Dunning & Son, 14 and 16 North Forsyth street. 9-5-3t

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WANTED—Money.

WANTED—To borrow $100 on piano and furniture worth $500. B. K. L., care Constitution.

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AUCTION SALES.

DON'T FAIL to attend auction sale of horses at Brady-Miller stables September 13th.

WILL BE SOLD at public sale at Smithville, Ga., on Monday, September 11th, one Eclipse job printing press, cases, rules, ornaments, borders, furniture, stationery, etc.

out of the grocery business will sell the entire stock of groceries at auction tomorrow (Friday) at 10 a. m. at 129 Decatur street. By order of G. Rubin. Leo Fresh, auctioneer.

WE WILL sell before courthouse door Tuesday, September 5th, between legal hours of sale, ten 5 per cent gold bonds of the Atlanta Standard Telephone Co. (par value $100) due April 15, 1916. Steve Johnston & Co. 3-2 4t

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WANTED—For family of four, two or three rooms with strictly first-class board, private family preferred, north side only. Mrs. C. H. Hill, Ballard House. 9-6—wed thur fri sun

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that Fannie R. Thurmond late of said county, died intestate, and no person has applied for administration on the estate of said deceased, and that administration will be vested in the County Adminstrator, or some other fit and proper person, on the first Monday in October next, unless valid objection is made thereto.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's offic, September 6, 1899.—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that William E. Flowers, late of said county, died intestate, and no person has applied for administration on the estate of said deceased, and that administration will be vested in the County Adminstrator, or some other fit and proper person, on the first Monday in October next, unless valid objection is made thereto.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that John D. Blackwell, late of said county, died intestate, and no person has applied for administration on the estate of said deceased, and that administration will be vested in the County Adminstrator, or some other fit and proper person, on the first Monday in October next, unless valid objection is made thereto.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—James Banks, administrator of estate of John D. Bishop, deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in October next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Wilson L. Grubb has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. E. Wood, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Bernard R. Myer has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Nettie Hetherington, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Decatur Oliver has applied for letters of administration on the estate of George Washington, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—William S. Rea has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Sarah E. S. Stowers, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Peter F. Clarke has applied for letters of administration on the estate of William T. Wall, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Clifford L. Anderson, administrator of estate of Samuel A. Durand, Jr., deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on before the first Monday in October next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Amelia Brenner Dunn, adminstratrix of estate of Elbert C. Dunn, deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in October next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—John S. Pruett, adminstrator of estate of William R. Cochran, deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in October next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Matilda Scully, guardian of Thomas F. Scully, Augusta Scully, James W. Scully, represents that she has fully dicharged the duties of her said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said guardian should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Court of Ordinary, Chambers, September 6, 1899.—To the heirs-at-law of Carrie A. Huard, deceased, who reside out of said state: Charles S. Kingsbery having as executor applied for probate in solemn form of the last will of said deceased, you are hereby cited to be and appear at the next October term of said court, to be held on the first Monday in October next, as said will of said deceased will then be offered for probate in solemn form.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Court of Ordinary, Chambers, September 6, 1899.—The appraisers appointed upon appplication of Lizzie Snead Kersh, widow of William M. Kersh, for a twelve months' support for herself and minor children, having filed their return, all persons concerned are hereby cited to show cause, if any they have, at the next October term of this court, why said application should not be granted.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Court of Ordinary, Chambers, September 6, 1899.—The appraisers appointed upon application of Mrs. Beulah Loftis, widow of W. P. Loftis, for a twelve months' support for herself, having filed their return, all persons concerned are hereby cited to show cause, if any they have, at the next October term of this court, why said application should not be granted.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—It being necessary that a guardian should be appointed for Daniel J. O'Donohue, a lunatic, of said county, and no application having been made therefor, notice is hereby given that on the first Monday in October next, said guardianship will be vested in the county guardian, unless valid objection is made thereto.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Lamar Jones has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Mary V. Jones, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—S. T. Conyers has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Annie E. Cowley, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—James E. Tate has applied for letters of administration on the estate of James Tate, deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in October next.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's office, September 6, 1899.—Leake W. Sims, administrator of estate of David R. Cook, deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in October next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Court of Ordinary, Chambers, September 6, 1899.—The appraisers appointed upon application of Isabelle E. Wood as next friend of Margaret B. Wood, Mary B. Wood, Edward P. Wood, minor children of Charles E. Wood, deceased, for a twelve months' support for said minor children, having filed their return, all persons concerned are hereby cited to show cause, if any they have, at the next October term of this court, why said application should not be granted.
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SHORTS WERE VERY NERVOUS

Weather in Southwest Is Clear and Hot—Cotton Closed 10 to 11 Points Higher.

New York, September 6.—By Associated Press: Bullish sentiment predominated in the market for cotton futures all day, but considering all phases of the local situation, confident bull speculation was conspicuous by its absence. Shorts were made uneasy at the opening by an unexpected improvement in spot business as well as higher prices for futures at Liverpool, and in an effort to place themselves in a more secure position forced prices 1@4 points higher on the opening. The market was steady at the advance. As the session progressed the nervousness of shorts increased, numerous crop damage reports having come to hand from Texas, and good buying orders reached the market from New Orleans. By midday prices had scored further advances and continued to improve pretty much all the afternoon. Wall street contributed considerable support in the last hour, purchasing January and March contracts. German houses, which had been quite active sellers early in the day, turned buyers, leaving the market almost bare of sellers. The weather indications did not hold out any promise of relief in the cotton belt from the excessive temperature and long continued drought. This fact, together with predictions that the government report would be bullish, added to the alarm of shorts. The market closed at a net gain of 10@12 points.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, September 6.—Demand for staple cotton goods full up to previous average and tone strong. Some four yard brown sheetings raised to 4¼c. Heavy brown cottons against buyers. Bleached cottons selling well at full prices. Wide sheetings firm; Utica advanced 5 cents. Denims, ticks, cheviots and other coarse-colred cottons very firm. Print cloths unchanged. Prints in good demand for staples, but fancy prints in indifferent demand. No changes in ginghams. Dress goods sell well in staples and rough fancies.

Spot Cotton Quotations.

Official closing quotations for spot cotton:
Atlanta—Steady; middling 5 11-16c.
Liverpool—Demand fair; middling 3½d.
New York—Quiet and steady; middling 6 5-16c.
New Orleans—Firm; middling 5⅞c.
Savannah—Firm; middling 5⅝c.
Galveston—Steady; middling 6 1-16c.
Norfolk—Firm; middling 6c.
Mobile—Steady; middling 5 11-16c.
Memphis—Steady; midling 5⅞c.
Augusta—Steady; middling 6c.
Charleston—Firm; middling 5 11-16c.
Houston—Firm; middling 6c.
St. Louis—Quiet; middling 5 15-16c.

The following is the statement of receipts, shipments and stock at Atlanta:

	RECEIPTS		SHIPM'TS		STOCK	
	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898
Saturday......	140	24	100	....	1919	2381
Monday......	112	32	....	....	2031	2513
Tuesday......	226	5	14	....	2243	2518
Wednesday....	227	24	150	....	2320	2542
Thursday.....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Friday........	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals......	705	85	264	......	......	......

The following was the range of cotton futures in New York yesterday:

MONTHS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Last Sale	Closing bid and asked.
September........	......	......	......	......	5 81-83
October........	5 94	6 03	5 92	6 02	6 01-02
November......	5 99	6 08	5 98	6 08	6 06-07
December......	6 03	6 14	6 03	6 12	6 12-13
January......	6 08	6 19	6 07	6 16	6 16-17
February......	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 19-21
March........	6 14	6 25	6 14	6 23	6 23
April........	5 20	6 20	6 20	6 20	6 27-28
May........	6 22	5 32	6 21	6 31	6 31-32
June........	5 25	6 31	6 25	5 31	6 35-36
July........	......	......	......	......	......
August......	......	......	......	......	......

Closed steady.

The following table shows the consolidated net receipts, exports and stock at the ports:

	RECEIPTS		EXPORTS		STOCK.	
	1899	1898	1899	1898	1899	1898
Saturday..	17356	5472	5603	400	386513	175562
Monday...	19546	11415	4537	300	399332	185499
Tuesday..	16096	5536	305	4178	411658	180954
Wednesd'y	20098	9961	1638	16402	428277	175535
Thursday..	......	......	......	......	......	......
Friday....	......	......	......	......	......	......
Totals...	73096	32384	12083	21280	......	......

The following were the closing bids for cotton futures in New Orleans:

September........	5 72	March........	5 97
October........	5 74	April........	6 01
November........	5 79	May........	6 06
December........	5 84	June........	.....
January........	5 89	July........	.....
February........	5 93	August........	.....

Closed steady.

Liverpool and Port Markets.

Liverpool, September 6—12:15 p.m—Cotton, spot, demand fair with prices higher; middling uplands 3⅜; sales 10,000; American 9,400; speculation and export 500; receipts 1,000; American 800. Futures opened quiet.

	Open'g.	Closing.	
September........	3 28-64	3 28	Buyers
September-October........	3 25-64	3 26	Buyers
October-November........	3 24-64	3 24½	Sellers
November-December........	3 23-64	3 23	Sellers
December-January........	3 23-64	3 23	Buyers
January-February........	3 23-64	3 23⅛	Sellers
February-March........	3 23-64	3 24	Sellers
March-April........	3 24-64	3 24½	Sellers
April-Nay........	.... ..	3 25	Sellers

Futures closed steady.

New York, September 6.—Cotton quiet and steady; sales 1,177 bales; middling uplands 6 51-16c; net receipts 152; gross 182; stock, 159,613.

New Orleans, September 6.—Cotton firm; sales 5,350; middling 5¾c; receipts 3,903; stock 132,121.

Galveston, September 6.—Cotton steady; middling 6 1-16c; sales 118; receipts 8,727; stock 47,196.

Mobile, September 6.—Cotton steady; middling 5 11-16c; sales 300; receipts 1,328; stock 10,078.

Savannah, September 6.—Cotton firm; middling 5⅝c; sales 807; receipts 3,840; stock 29,477.

Charleston, September 6.—Cotton firm; middling 5 11-16c; receipts 359; stock 12,553.

Wilmington, September 6.—Cotton steady; middling 5¾c; receipts 364; stock 12,699.

Norfolk, September 6.—Cotton firm; middling 6c; receipts 1,149; stock 16,857.

Baltimore, September 6.—Cotton nominal; middling 6½c; stock 3,000.

Boston, September 6.—Cotton quiet; middling 6¼c; receipts net 276; gross 2,145.

Philadelphia, September 6.—Cotton firm; middling 6 9-16c; stock 4,681.

St. Louis, September 6.—Cotton quiet; middling 5 15-16c; sales 1,872; receipts 1,798; stock 63,367.

Memphis, September 6.—Cotton steady; middling 5¾c; receipts 194; sales 500; shipments 135; stock 55,845.

Augusta, September 6.—Cotton steady; middling 6c; sales 827; receipts 1,407; stock 11,342.

Houston, September 6.—Cotton firm; middling 6c; sales none; receipts 4,912; stock 37,324.

L. DeGumoens & Son's Cotton Letter.

By Private Wire to C .B .Woodruff.

New York, September 6.—The situation is a perplexing one, and but for the receipts the market would undoubtedly do much better. The absence of reports indicating benefit by rain in Texas is suggestive. The government report for Texas for the week is bullish, and the Oklahoma crop is said to be off one-half. Other sections are doing better. Neill is still the object of attacks from many quarters, and not a few believe the crop will not exceed 10,000,000 bales. Trade is on a moderate scale. Both sides hesitate while the low price looms up on every downward move. The market improved to the extent of 3 to 4 points this morning. As on yesterday, the volume of business was quite small, but the feeling was rather more cheerful. The fact that weather accounts failed to show rain over the entire south with the exception of a light fall at Vicksburg held sellers in check and encouraged buyers, as did better cables, while an avalanche of receipts made little impression. By 11 o'clock prices were up 8 to 9 points, due largely to southern buying. Cables were 1-32d higher for spots and ⅛ point up for futures. The market moved up without much opposition until 10 to 13 points advance was shown at 2:15 p. m. There was an utter absence of news calculated to influence prices, and the rise was wholly ascribable to bidding up by leading commission houses, who were permitted to have their own way.

Bagging and Ties

At Wholesale.

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C. E. Caverly, 24 E. Alabama Street, Atlanta, Ga.

W.H. Bacheller & Co.'s Cotton Letter

New Orleans, September 6.—The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	5.64	5.79	5.64	5.74-75
December	5.74	5.89	5.74	5.84-85
January	5.80	5.93	5.80	5.88-90

Influenced by steadier Liverpool our market opened at an advance and continued steadily to improve, finally closing at the top prices of the day, representing an advance of 10 points from opening. While the movement promised to continue liberal, it is rather too early to draw any comparison on conclusions. It is the October movement that will test the capacity of the bulls, and should this steady accumulation of supplies continue, it will certainly be a strain on the supporters. The weather bureau weekly report showed, while cotton picking had been retarded by rains in portions of Georgia, Florida, South Carolina and on the Texas coast, in other sections it had made rapid progress. The crop is opening rapidly. Much of it prematurely. Rust and shedding is less numerous and confined principally to the central portion of the belt. Sprouting and rotting in the bolls is reported from some sections of Georgia. However, the general condition of the crop has been improved. We learn from reliable sources that the crop east of the Mississippi valley requires little or no rain, but west of that line good steady rains are necessary to avoid shedding and actual disaster.

Murphy & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

Atlanta, September 6.—The tenor of Liverpool advices today—1 32 advance on spots with a slight gain in futures—revived the spirits of the bulls, and our market opened 1@3 points up. As the morning session progressed the local bulls started discussion of the "possibilities" of the monthly bureau, and under such stimulus as was made of it, values further advanced some 5@6 points, the buying receiving additional encouragement from lack of rainfall in the southwest. The south bought and the continent sold. The early afternoon session showed considerable firmness with few sellers, New Orleans market leading. Receipts quite large, but without bearish influence.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, September 6.—Again the European markets have surprised the American market by their firmness in the face of heavy receipts and the fear of political complications. This strength abroad was hardly credited at first, but prices gained strength during the morning, showing an advance of 8 points at the highest point. We believe the strength abroad due to a better appreciation of the conditions of the Texas crop, as orders are received by their buyers from day to day. The weather in the southwest is clear and hot with no indications of much needed rain for all Texas. Local traders are disapointed at the failure of the movement to depress prices, though the prices paid in the south by the spinner prevents any great pressure. The approaching bureau report was credited with the strength of the day, as it is expected to be a bad one, though at other times the bureau has been discredited favors the estimates.

Southern Exchange Cotton Letter.

Atlanta, Ga., September 6.—Liverpool cables today were better than expected, that market closing at a slight advance over last night's close, the tone being exceedingly steady. Reports this morning show that clear weather prevails all over the Atlantic states. Reports from New Orleans say that no rain has been reported in Texas, and high temperature still continues. Our market opened at about last night's close, but with strong cables and southern buying the market advanced slowly, until just before the close, when the highest figures of the day were quoted. The market closed steady at a net advance of from 10 to 11 points from last night's closing prices. The market is in an unsettled state, owing to the proximity of the monthly government crop report, which some claim will show a decrease in condition.

GRAIN, PROVISIONS, ETC.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta, September 6.—Flour, all wheat, first patent, $5; second patent, $4.40; straght, $4; extra fancy, $3.90; fancy, $3.70; extra family, $2.85. Corn, white, 52c mixed, 50c. Oats, white, 40c; mixed, 36c; Texas rustproof, 38c. Rye, Georgia, $1. Hay No. 1 timothy, large bales, 85c; No. 1 small bales 80c; No. 2 75. Meal, plain 50c; bolted 45c. Wheat bran, large sacks, 85c; small sacks, 85c. Shorts $1. Stock meal, 85c. Cotton seed meal 90c per 100 pounds. Grits, $3 per barrel; $1.50 per bag.

New York, September 6.—Flour active and considerably stronger. Wheat, spot market firm; No. 2 red 75⅛ f. o. b afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth 79⅜ f. o. b. to arrive, old; No. 1 hard Duluth 81¾ to arrive; No. 2 red 73¼ in elevator; options strong at 1c net advance; May 79⅞; September 73⅞; December 76¾. Corn, spot strong; No. 39⅞ f. o. b. afloat; 39 in elevator; options active, strong and ⅞c higher; May 35½; September 38½; December 36. Oats, spot easy; No. 2 26; No. 3 25½; No. 2 white 27½; No. 3 white 26½@27; track western mixed 26@27; options inactive.

Chicago, September 6.—Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat —; No. 3 spring wheat 67@69½; No. 2 red 71½. No. 2 corn 32@32⅜; No. 2 yellow corn 32@32½. No. 2 oats 21⅛@25¾; No. 2 white 23¼@23½; No. 3 white 22¼@23½. No. 2 rye 53.

St. Louis, September 6.—Flour unchanged. Wheat, No. 2 red cash 68@68⅞; September 69½; December 71&; May 76. Corn, No. 2 cash 31½; September 30¾@31; December 27½; May 28⅜@28½. Oats, No. 2 cash 22¼; September 22¼; May 22⅜.

Cincinnati, O., September 6.—Flour steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red 69. Corn stronger; No. 2 mixed 34½. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed 23.

Provisions.

Atlanta, September 6.—Clear side ribs boxed 5⅝; half ribs 5¾; rib bellies 6½; ice-cured bellies 8¾c. Sugar cured hams 11@13½c; California, 8c; breakfast bacon 10@12½c. Lard, best quality, 7¼c; second quality, 6¾@6½; compound 5c.

St. Louis, September 6.—Pork firm at $9. Lard, better prime steam $5.15; choice $5.20. Dry salt meats firmer; boxed shoulders and extra shorts 5.50; clear ribs 5.62½; clear sides 5.75. Bacon firmer; boxed shoulders 5.75; extra shorts 6.00; clear ribs 6.12½; clear sides 6.25.

Chicago, September 6.—Mess pork $7.42@8.20. Lard 5.15@5.35. Short rips sides (loose) 5.10@5.35; dry salted shoulders 5½@5⅝; short clear sides (boxed) 5.60@5.65.

Cincinnati, September 6.—Lard active at 5.20. Bulk meats firm and higher at 5.40. Bacon firm at 6.20.

New York, September 6.—Lard firm; western steam 5.70; refined firmer. Pork firm.

Groceries.

Atlanta, September 6.—Roasted Coffee: Dutch Java, 100 pounds, $13.60; Arbuckle $11.30; Lion and Levering $10.80 all less 50c per 100 pound cases. Green coffee, choice 11c; fair 9; prime 7¼@8¼c. Sugar, standard granulated, New York 5.68; New Orleans 5⅝; New Orleans white 5⅜@5½c; New Orleans yellow 5¼c. Sirup, New Orleans open kettle 25@40c; mixed 12¼@20 c; sugar house 28@35c. Teas, black, 50@65c; green, 50@65c. Rice, head 7½c; choice 7@6¾c. Salt, dairy sacks $1.25; salt, barrel bulk $2; 100 3s $2.75. Ice cream $1.25; common 65@70c. Cheese, full cream 13c. Matches, 65s 45@55; 200 $1.50@1.75; 300s $2.75. Soda, boxes 6c; Crackers, soda, 5@6½c; cream 6c; gingersnaps 6c. Candy, common stick 6¼c; fancy 12@13c. Oysters, F. W. $1.85@1.75; L. W. $1.10.

Country Produce.

Atlanta, September 6.—Eggs 14@15. Butter, fancy Georgia, 15@17½c; choice, 12½@14, dull; fancy Tennessee 15@17½c; choice 12½c. Live poultry, chickens, hens 22½@25c; spring chickens, large, 18@20c; medium, 14@16c; ducks, puddle, 20@22½c; peking, 22½@25c. Irish potatoes 65@70c per bu. Honey, strained, 6@7c, in comb 9@10c. Onions 80@95 per bu., $2.50@2.75 per bbl. Cabbage, 1½@2c per pound. Beeswax 20@21½c. Dried fruit, apples 7@8c; peaches 9@10c.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

Atlanta, September 6.—Lemons, choice, $3.75@4, market excited; fancy, $4@4.25. Bananas, straight, $1.25@1.50 bunch. Culls 75 cents to $1. Figs 10 cents. Raisins, new California, $1.50@1.60; ¼ boxes 50@60. Nuts, almonds, 16c; pecans, 7@8c; Brazil 8@9c; filberts, 11½c; walnuts, 8@10c; mixed nuts, 10c. Peanuts, Virginia electric light, 6 to 6½c; fancy hand-picked, 5 to 5½c; Georgia, 2@3½c.

Naval Stores.

Wilmington, September 6.—Spirits turpentine steady at 43¼@43⅜; receipts 105 casks. Rosin firm at 90 and 95; receipts 240. Crude turpentine steady and unchanged; receipts 41. Tar firm at 1.30; receipts 111.

Savannah, September 6—Spirits turpentine steady at the opening at 44½ and firm at close with 44 bid; receipts 117; sales 100. Rumored sales after close at price bid. Rosin firm and unchanged; receipts 2,534; sales none

Charleston, September 6.—Turpentine firm at 43½; sales 10 casks. Rosin firm; sales 300 barrels; B, C, D, E, 90; F, 95; G, $1.05; H, $1.10; I, $1.15; K, $1.20; M, $1.50; N, $1.85; windowplass, $2.25; water white $2.50.

ST. PAUL WAS ACTIVE

Was Carried Up Nearly 6 Points on Its Annual Report.

LATER LOST THREE POINTS

Tennessee Coal and Iron Dashed Up and Down in Erratic Manner All Day.

New York, September 6.—St. Paul was the central figure in today's market. The publication of the annual report, with its great detail of facts and figures, all showing extraordinary prosperity, was the motive of the buyers, which was very large and which carried the price steadily upwards nearly 6 points. So wide a movement in a standard stock of St. Paul's character was looked to to arouse some sympathetic strength in the general market. The St. Paul movement in the upper stages of the advance showed some signs of manipulation for the purpose of sustaining the general market. There was quite free seling wherever there was a notable advance in price, and the last hour was given over to an active realizing movement, which clipped off half of St. Paul's gain and carried prices generally below last night's level. The jump in call money to 6 per cent induced the realizing. Tennessee Coal dashed up and down in an erratic manner all day, climbing 9½ points in the first hour and dropping again to within 3 points of last night. The feverish demand for this stock is attributed to a large short interest, which finds itself obliged to sell with a practical corner in the stock, according to the current rumor. The movement in Colorado Fuel, which reached about 4 points, was in close sympathy with Tennessee Coal, as was that of 3 points in Hocking Coal. There were rather sensational advances also in Pullman, the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg stocks, which gained a bout 7 points each, and Colorado Midland preferred. Southern Pacific and Central Pacific recovered about one and one-half of their recent decline and the Norfolk and Western stocks and the coalers advanced temporarily, but more than lost the gain. Sugar underwent the same experience, rising 2 points on the declaration of the regular dividend and then reacting an extreme 3⅝. The New York municipal stocks all weakened during the day, Brooklyn Transit having declined 2¾ after an initial rise, and Consolidated Gas showing a loss of 3. New York Air Brake dropped 8 points. Republic Steel, after gaining 1⅝, dropped 3⅛, and American Smelting was conspicuously weak. There was no marked change in the condition of the money market today. Call and time money rates were stiffly held. There was a further deposit of $150,000 at the sub-treasury for shipment to New Orleans. New York exchange at interior points indicated pressure on this center for funds, and the sub-treasury continues to absorb cash from the banks. Notwithstanding the hardness of money here and the somewhat easier tone in London, sterling exchange was firm in New York and advanced a fraction on actual business.

The bond market was quiet, but prices well held. Total sales $2,367,000.

The total sales of stocks today were 615,000 shares, including Atchison preferred 10,260; Rock Island, 9,630; Burlington, 21,170; Hocking Coal 8,160; Louisville and Nashville, 6,400; Manhattan 16,260; Metropolitan 7,467; Missouri Pacific 5,200; Norfolk and Western 6,645; Pennsylvania 6,215; St. Paul 56,250; Southern Pacific 29,550; Union Pacific 10,090; do. preferred 14,330; Aemrican Tobacco 28,192; Brooklyn Rapid Transit 59,572; Colorado Fuel 32,650; Sugar 37,850; Tennessee Coal 38,975.

Money on call 3½@6 per cent; last loan 4 per cent; prime paper 4¼@5 per cent.

Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86@4.86½ for demand and at $4.83¾@$4.83½ for 60 days; posted rates $4.84 and $4.87½; commercial bills $4.82@4.82½.

Silver certificates 58⅝@60c.
Bar silver 59⅛c.
Mexican dollars 47½c.
Government bonds steady.
State bonds steady.
Railroad bonds firm.

RAILWAY STOCKS.

Atchison........	22¼	Minn. & L. 2d pref.	96⅛
do. preferred........	65⅜	Missouri Pacific....	49
Baltimore & Ohio....	53⅜	Mobile & Ohio.......	48
Canada Pacific.......	96⅛	Mo., Kan. & Texas..	14¼
Canada Southern....	54⅛	Mo., K. & Tex. pref.	43⅜
Central Pacific........	58	New Jersey Cent....	119⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio.	28⅜	New York Central..	139
Chic. Great West....	16⅛	Norfolk & Western.	26⅛
C., B. & Q........	136⅜	do. 2d preferred..	71⅛
Chic. Ind. & L.......	10	Northern Pacific....	55⅜
do.preferred.......	41	do.preferred......	77⅛
Chicago & E. Ill....	97½	Ontario & Western..	27⅛
Chic. & N.W........	171⅜	Oregon R. & Nav....	46
Rock Island........	119⅝	do. 1st preferred..	76
C. C. C. & St. L......	58	Pennsylvania......	135⅜
Colo.Sou..........	5⅛	Reading........	23
do. 1st preferred..	47⅛	do. 1st preferred...	61⅛
do. 2nd preferred.	17	do. 2d preferred..	33⅜
Del. & Hudson.......	124⅛	Rio Grande & W....	38⅛
Del., L. & W........	180⅛	do. preferred......	82⅛
Del. & Rio Grande..	22⅜	St. Lonis & S. F......	11
do.preferred.......	77	do. 1st preferred..	70⅛
Er'e (new)........	13⅜	do. 2d preferred..	37
do.preferred.......	38⅜	St. L. & S. W......	16⅜
Great Nor. pref......	165	do.preferred......	37⅛
Hocking Coal........	19⅛	St.Paul........	135⅜
Hocking Valley......	36	do.preferred......	178
Illinois Central......	114⅜	St. P. & Omaha......	123
Iowa Central........	14¼	do.preferred......	—
do. preferred......	58	Southern Pacific....	37⅛
K. C.. Pitts. & Gulf.	10⅜	Southern Railway..	12⅜
Lake Erie & W......	20¼	do.preferred......	55⅛
do.preferred......	80	Texas & Pacific......	20⅜
LakeShore........	201⅛	Union Pacific......	47⅜
Louisvil'e & Nash..	81⅛	do. preferred......	80⅛
Manhattan L........	114⅜	Wabash........	7⅜
Metro. StreetRy.....	210	do.preferred......	23
Mexican Central.....	15	Wheel. & L. E. (now)	12⅜
Minn. & St. Louis...	76	do. preferred......	31

EXPRESS COMPANIES.

Adams........	115	United States........	50
American........	150	Wells Fargo........	133
Am.Cotton Oil......	44⅛	Int. Paper pref.......	76⅜
do. preferred......	93⅛	LaCledeGas.......	66⅜
American Malting..	14⅜	National Biscuit....	47⅛
do. preferred......	66	do. preferred......	99⅜
Am. Smelt. & Rfg...	41⅜	National Lead......	31⅛
do. preferred......	91⅜	do.preferred......	110⅛
American Spirits.....	5⅜	National Steel........	56
do. preferred......	28	do. preferred......	98⅜
Amn Steel Hoop......	38⅜	N. Y. Air Brake......	162
do.preferred......	84⅜	North American Co.	12⅜
A. S. & W........	57⅜	Pac. Coast........	46⅛
do.preferred......	98⅜	do. 1st pref.....	84
Amn Tin Plate.......	42⅜	do. 2d preferred..	63
do. preferred......	90	Pacific Mail........	46⅛
American Tobacco..	129	People's Gas........	119⅛
do.preferred......	145	Pressed Steel Car..	59⅛
Anaconda Mining...	55⅜	do. preferred......	89⅜
Brook. Rap. Tran...	104⅜	Pullman Palace......	163
Col. F. & Iron......	60⅛	Stand. R. & Twine..	8⅜
Cont. Tobacco......	46⅜	Sugar........	155⅜
do. preferred......	98	do.preferred......	121⅛
Federal Steel........	61⅜	T. C. & Iron........	111⅜
do.preferred......	82⅛	U. S. Leather......	10⅛
General Electric....	124	do.preferred......	75⅜
Glucose Sugar......	65	U. S. Rubber......	49⅛
do.preferred......	105⅛	do. preferred......	116⅜
International Paper	31⅛	Western Union......	88⅜

BONDS.

U. S. 2s reg........	100⅛	L. & N. unified 4s...	99⅞
do. 3s........	108⅜	M., K. & T. 2nds.....	73¼
do. 3s coupon.....	108⅜	do. 4s........	94⅜
U. S. new 4s reg.....	130⅜	N. Y. Central 1sts...	111⅜
do. coupon........	130⅜	N. J. Cent. 5s........	120⅛
U. S. old 4s reg......	111⅛	N. Carolina 6s........	129
do. coupon........	113	do. 4s........	104
U. S. 5s reg........	111⅛	Northern Pac. 1sts..	113
do. coupon........	111⅛	do. 3s........	67¼
District Col. 3 65s..	117	do. 4s........	103⅛
Ala., Class A........	109⅛	N. Y., C. & St. L. 4s.	108
Ala., Class B........	109	Nor. & West. con. 4s.	95⅜
Ala., Class C........	103	Norfolk & Wes. 6s..	135
Ala., Currency........	103	Oregon Nav. 1sts.....	113⅛
Atchison, 4s........	102⅛	do. 4s........	103⅛
do. adj. 4s........	88	O.S. Line 6s........	129⅜
Canada So. 2nds.....	109	O. S. Line con. 5s....	117⅛
Cent. of Ga. con. 5s.	97⅛	Reading 4s........	89⅜
do. first income....	41	Rio G. W. 1sts........	98⅜
do. second income.	11	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s.	114
C. & O. 4½s........	96⅛	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6s.	124⅜
do. 5s........	119⅜	St. Paul consols.......	173⅛
Chic. & N.W. con. 7s.	145	St. P., C. & P. 1sts...	121
do. S. F. deb. 5s.....	123	do. 5s........	122
Chicago Terminals..	98⅜	Southern Ry. 5s......	109⅛
D. & R. G. 1st........	106⅛	Stand. Rose & T. 6s.	87
D. & R. G. 4s........	100⅛	Tenn. new set. 3s....	95
East Tenn. 1st........	103	Tex. & Pacific 1sts...	115
Erie General 4s.....	72⅛	do. 2nds........	56
F. W. & D. 1sts.....	81	Union Pacific 4s.....	106
Gen. Electric 5s.....	116	Wabash 1sts........	115
G., H. & S. A. 6s....	108	Wabash do. 2nds.........	100⅜
do. 2nds........	108	West Shore 4s........	113
H. & T. Cent. 5s......	111⅛	Wiscon. Cent. 1sts...	78⅜
do. con. 6s........	112	Virginia centuries..	87⅛
Iowa Cent. 1sts......	116	do. deferred........	5
K. C., P. & G. 1sts..	73	Colo. Sou 4s........	86⅛
La. new consol 4s..	106		

The Day's Trade in Stocks Reviewed.

By Private Wire to C. B. Woodruff.

New York, September 6.—Following is from The New York Sun: "While today's stock market was not wanting in some appearances of irregularity, it was on the whole the strongest, broadest and most active market for a long time. The day's actual situation of itself comprised very little aside from the publication of a number of exceedingly encouraging statements of earnings, to which the general course of prices could be attributed. The most noteworthy were Southern Railway preferred and Missouri Pacific for fourth week of August and of St. Paul for June. Following upon the St. Paul's annual statement there seemed to attract more attention than has been accorded this feature of the situation in a long time. The really remarkable showing made by St. Paul for the year naturally created a particularly active speculation in that stock where interest was further stimulated by the near approach of the declartion of the dividend. St. Paul was the conspicuous feature of the railway list. The advance was based upon the expectation that the directors next week would declare an extra dividend of at least 1 per cent. While the money market continued very firm, the circumstance was not a decisive factor in the day's dealings nor was the continued unfavorable disposition of the foreign dealings in this market, which, however, on balance were very small. Incidents of the day were the declaration of the regular dividend on Sugar and announcement of payment of full 4 per cent on the adjustment bonds of Atchison. With the ensuing year this charge upon the latter security becomes a fixed one. Sensational features were Tennessee Coal and Iron and Colorado Fuel and Iron, and with the course of the advance in these stocks seemed to induce purchases on the shares of another property of the same genral character—namely, Hocking Coal and Iron The rise in Tennessee Coal and Iron seemed to follow buying for both accounts, the demand from the short interest being particularly urgent. Observers of the dealings for a long time have regarded it as being practically cornered, and notwithstanding the reports regarding current earnings of the property, it would be difficult to otherwise account for its wild movements. Strength of St. Paul was reflected to a greater or less extent in other grangers, but the Pacifics, with exception of Southern Pacific and Central Pacific, were comparatively neglected. Sugar, Federal Steel and other steel and iron industrials were strong and active. Readings were active. Local tractions advanced at opening but Brooklyn Rapid Transit reacted and seemed to take a good deal of the life out of dealings in these stocks. Practically nothing new came to light bearing upon actual position of these properties."

STOCKS.	Opening.	High.	Low.	Last Sale.	Closing Bid
Am'n Tobacco..	131	131	128¼	129	128¾
Am'n Sugar R'fg	158⅜	159¼	155⅜	156	155¾
Atchison........	22⅛	22⅜	22¼	22¼	22¼
do. preferred....	65⅞	66¼	65⅜	65⅜	65⅜
Balto. & Ohio....	54⅛	54⅛	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜
Br'k. Rap. Tran.	106⅞	107⅛	104⅛	104⅜	104⅝
Anaconda Min'g	56	56	55⅛	55⅝	55⅛
Bur. & Quincy..	136⅜	137¼	136⅛	136⅛	136
C., C., C. & St. L.	59	59	58	58	57¾
Ches. & Ohio....	28⅝	29	28⅝	28⅝	28⅛
Canada South'n.	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛	54¼
Del. & Hudson..	123⅝	125⅝	123⅝	124⅛	124
Cont. Tobacco..	47⅛	48	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
do. preferred..	98⅜	98⅜	98⅜	98⅜	98
Con. Gas........	192⅜	192⅜	189⅜	189⅜	189⅜
Gen. Electric....	......	......	......	125	124
Chic. Great West	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
Jersey Central..	120½	120⅜	120	120	119⅛
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	......	......	......	......	14¼
do. preferred..	43⅛	44	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
Louisv. & Nash.	81⅛	82	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
Am. Steel & W..	57⅜	58⅛	57⅜	57⅜	57⅛
Manhattan L....	114⅜	115⅞	114⅜	114⅜	114
Mo. Pacific......	49	49⅛	48⅛	49	49
Metro. St. ex-rts.	210⅜	211⅜	209	209⅞	208¾
National Lead..	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31¼
Northern Pac....	56⅜	56⅜	55⅞	55⅞	55⅝
do. preferred..	77⅛	77⅜	77⅛	77⅛	77⅜
N. Y. Central....	140	140	139	139	138⅜
Northwestern...	173	173	171⅜	171⅜	171⅛
Omaha........	......	......	......	124	123
Pacific Mail......	46⅛	46⅜	46⅛	46⅜	46¼
People's Gas....	120	120⅜	119¼	119⅛	119⅜
Reading........	23	25	22⅞	23⅛	23
Rock Island....	120	120⅜	119⅛	119⅛	119⅝
Southern Rwy..	12⅞	13	12⅜	12⅜	12⅝
do. preferred..	55	55⅜	55	55¼	55½
St. Paul........	134⅛	136⅛	134⅛	135⅜	135
Tenn. Coal & I..	110	117⅛	109⅛	112	111⅜
U.S. Leather pfd	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
Union Pacific....	48⅛	48⅛	47⅜	47⅜	47⅜
do. preferred..	80⅛	81	80⅛	80⅛	80⅜
Western Union..	89	89	88⅜	88⅜	88⅜
Wabash prf....	23	23	23	23	22⅜
Am'n Cotton Oil	44⅛	44⅜	44⅛	44⅜	44⅛
Am'n Spirits....	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
do. preferred..	......	......	......	......	30⅜
U. S. Rubber....	......	......	......	49⅛	49⅛
do. preferred..	......	......	......	......	115¼
Federal Steel....	61⅜	62⅜	61⅜	61⅜	61⅛
do. preferred..	82⅜	83⅜	82⅜	82⅜	82⅛
Illinois Central.	115	115⅛	115	115¼	114⅝

*Ex-div. 1 per cent. †Ex-div 1. ‡Ex-div. 1½.

Southern Exchange Stock Letter.

Atlanta, September 6.—The stock market opened strong and at prices which were an advance over last night's close. The feature of the market was Tennessee Coal and Iron, which again led the van. The directors of the American Sugar Refinery Company met today and declared the regular dividend on the common and preferred stock. This news caused Sugar to advance to 159, but afterwards it became weak and sold down to 155⅜. During the closing hour of the session the market became heavy and weak, and losses of one of more points were recorded in almost all principal stocks. The money situation was practically without change, money being quoted on call at 3½ to 4 per cent. The market looks top-heavy, and recessions may be expected. The low priced stocks are a purchase on all breaks. The movement in Tennessee Coal and Iron is considered against shorts, an attempt on the part of the clique to establish higher prices for the settlements. The Chicago Great Western has applied to the stock exchange to list $3,300,000 of 4 per cent debenture stocks, to be used for the purpose of retiring $2,823,150 of its 5 per cent priority loan at 105 on January 1, 1900.

Commercial Advertiser's Financial Cable.

New York, September 6.—The Commercial-Advertiser's London finacial cablegram says: The stock market was idle and heavy here today on the suspense over the Boer situation.

Americans wer firm but were neglected until the afternoon, when New York bought speculation, causing strong close at the top. St. Paul touched the record—1.39⅜. Norfolk issues, the Louisville and Southern Railway prefrred, were wanted.

Gold in bars to the amount of £178,000 was bought by the bank. This week's inflow amounts so far to £416,000, and the price is easier by 19d.

Money is stagnant. Calls are at 2 per cent. Bills are steadier and very scarce.

Tennessee Coal's Plan.

New York, September 6.—It is stated in Wall street that the plan for the retirement of Tennessee Coal and Iron preferred and its accumulated dividends will be announced before the end of the week. The plan as reported is to issue $2,000,000 bonds, which are to be exchanged for the prefrred stock at par and for the dividend accumulations at their full value. There is only $1,000,000 of Tennessee Coal prefrred. It is entitled to 8 per cent per annum cumulative and has sreceived no dividends since 1893.

The floating supply of Tennessee Coal is small, and Wall street regards the stocks' presnt buoyancy as the result of something very like a "corner."

STOCKS AND BONDS.

The following are the bid and asked quotations.

STATE AND COUNTY BONDS.

Ga. 3½s, 27 to 30 years	107	Atl'nta 4s	107
Ga. 3½s, 25 to 40 years	108	Aug'ta 7s L.D.	109
Ga. 4½s, 1915	121¼ 122½	Macon 6s	118
Savannah 5s	110	Columbus 5s	107
Atl'n'a 8s 1902	111	Rome 5s	107
Atl'n'a 7s 1904	113	So. Car. 4½s	118
Atl'n'a 6s L.D.	122	New'n 6s L.D.	110
Atl'n'a 5s L.D.	110	Chat. 5s, 1911	100
Atl'n'a 4½s	109	Col. S.C., grd'd 2s & 4s, 1910	91
		Ala. Class A	109

RAILROAD BONDS.

Ga. 6s, 1910	114	Atl'n'a & Char 1st 7s, 1907	118
Ga. 6s, 1922	118	Do. income 6s, 1900	100
Ga. Pa. 1st	120		
C., C. & A. 1st ts, 1909	104		

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Georgia	205 207	Aug. & Sav	110
Southwest'n	110	A. & W. P	123
		do. deben	103

Foreign Finances.

London, September 6.—Close: Consols for money 104⅜; for the account 104 15-16. Illinois Central 118½; New York Central 143⅜; Pennsylvania 69½; Louisville and Nashville 83⅞.

Bar silver steady.

Money 1½@1⅜ per cent.

The rate of discount in open market for short bills 3⅛%@⅜; for three months 3⅝ per cent.

Gold premium at Buenos Ayres 135.00.

Indian council bills allotted today at 1s 4d.

Berlin, September 6.—Exchange on London 20 marks 46 pfennigs for checks.

Paris, September 6.—Three per cent rentes 100 francs 60 centimes for the account. Exchange on London 26 francs 24½ centimes for checks.

Dividends Declared.

New York, September 6.—The directors of the American Sugar Refining Company have declared the regular dividend of 3 per cent for the quarter on its common stock, and in its preferred stock 1¾ per cent for that portion entitled to quarterly dividends.

The directors of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad Company have declared an annual payment of 4 per cent on the adjustment bonds payable November 1st.

The Metal Market.

New York, September 6.—Spot tin, spelter and pig iron were firm all day on active demand from all quarters, prompted by higher cables and strong reports from the west. The other departments were about unchanged, ruling steady in tone.

At the close the metal exchange called pig iron warrants firm at $16.50.

Lake copper unchanged at $18.50. Tin firm for spot and easy for futures, with $32 bid and $32.25 asked.

Lead unchanged, with $4.60 bid and $4.62½ asked.

The brokers' price for lead is $4.40 and for copper $18.50.

St. Louis, September 6.—Lead strong at $4.50@4.55; spelter lower at $5.35.

Fruit and Vegetables.

Corrected Daily by McCullough Bros.

String beans, round green, $1 to $1.25; celery per dozen, owing to quality and bleaching, from 40c to 60c; tomatoes, fancy stocked, 75c to $1 per crate, six baskets; 40 to 50 cents for four-basket crates; choice 30 to 40 cents; irish potatoes, fancy, per barrel, $2.25@2.50; peppers, $1@1.25, owing to quality; pineapples, full crates, $5 to $6; half-crates in proportion. Egg plants, no sale; cantaloupes, $1 to $1.25 crate, dull; watermelons, $65 to $125 car.

California fruit, strong demand. Plums, crate, $1.50 to $1.75; peaches, crate, $1.25 to $1.35; Bartlett pears, $2.75@3. Tokay grapes, $2@2.25.

STRONG AND HIGHER

Outside Wheat Markets Strong and Export Demand Showed Improvement.

SHORTS WERE HEAVY BUYERS

September Corn Higher—Fair Trade Was Done in Oats—Provisions Fairly Active.

Chicago, September 6.—Wheat was influenced by the strength of outside markets and by the improvement in the export demand. It ruled strong all day and closed ⅝@¾ higher. A feature was the continued buying of September by elevator people. Corn closed ¼c higher for September, but a shade lower for December. Oats closed ⅛@⅜c higher and provisions 5@12½c higher for October products.

Wheat opened unchanged for December and a little lower for September, the latter on account of heavy receipts in the northwest. Little wheat was offered for sale, and shortly after the opening the change in the aspect of outside markets, which have been relatively weaker than Chicago for some time past, but which were today comparatively stronger, induced some covering by the more timid shorts, and a good advance in prices took place. December opened at 71@71⅛c and advanced to 71½@71⅝c, while September opened ⅛c lower at 6 9⅝c and advanced to 70⅜c. The advance was sufficient to induce realizing, which carried prices back fractionally, but after a long period of comparative dullness, during which December hung around 71¼@71⅜c, the continued strength of the northwest and outside markets and the improvement in the export demand increased the volume of trading in the speculative market and again advanced prices. The strength shown by September was especially noticeable. There was a good demand for this option from elevator people and shorts, and the spread between September and December narrowed to 1⅜c. The strength was in spite of the liberal country movement and free offerings. Minneapolis and Duluth received 70 cars, against 373 last week and 750 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 205 cars, 19 of contract grade. Total primary receipts were 958,000 bushels, compared with 1,364,000 bushels a year ago. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour aggregated 410,000 bushels. New York reported anywhere from 60 to 72 boatloads worked for export, and Duluth reported 300,000 bushels of that amount worked from there. Bradstreet's reported a ni ncrease in the world's visible of 2,521,000 bushels. This was unexpected, but had little effect. Buying by shorts was quite heavy during the late trading, and best prices of the day were reached shortly before the close. December advanced to 71¾ and closed at 71⅝@71¾c. September sold at 70½@70⅝c and closed at 70½c.

Corn was firm for September and about steady for deferred futures. Reports of serious damage by hot, dry weather were received, and lake rates were reduced about ¼c, helping the corn shipper that much. A premium over September was bid for cash, but it was difficult to get. Reports of rain in Illinois and a general desire to realize caused an easier feeling during the latter part of the session. Receipts were 911 cars. December ranged from 28⅞c to 29¼c, and closed a shade lower at 29c. September sold as high as 32c and closed at 31⅞c.

A fair general trade was done in oats. Prices in the main were influenced by the action of wheat and corn and ruled a little higher throughout. Shorts were good buyers, with September in the most demand. Receipts were 540 cars. Shipping demand good. December ranged from 20⅛c to 20¼c and closed ⅛c higher at 20¼c. September closed ⅛@¼c higher at 20⅝@20⅞c.

Provisions were fairly active and strong, helped most by an excellent demand, especially for lard. There was some realizing through commission houses, but prices advanced steadily under a good demand and closed about the top. Cables were higher, and confidence in the present weak prices was pressed. At the close October was 12½c higher at $8.25; October lard 5@7½c at $5.35@5.37½, and October ribs 12½c higher at $5.32½@5.35.

Estimated receipts for Thursday: Wheat 170 cars; corn 660 cars; oats 415 cars; hogs 22,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
September	69⅝	68⅝	69⅝	70½
December	71⅛	71¾	71	71¾
May	74⅛	74⅞	74⅛	74¾
Corn—				
September	31½	32	31½	31⅞
December	29⅛	29¼	28⅞	29
May..	30⅛	30¼	29⅜	30
Oats—				
September	20⅝	20⅞	20⅝	20⅞
December	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	20¼
May	21⅞	22	21⅞	21⅞
Mess Pork—				
September	.....	.....	.....	8.15
October	8.15	8.25	8.12½	8.25
January	9.57½	9.65	9.57½	9.62½
Lard—				
September	5.25	5.32½	5.25	5.32½
October	5.30	5.37½	5.30	5.37½
January	5.47½	5.52½	5.47¼	5.52½
Short Ribs—				
September	5.37½	5.30	5.27½	5.30
October	5.22½	5.35	5.22½	5.35
January	5.02½	5.05	5.00	5.05

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels..	28,000	11,000
Wheat, bushels	162,000	140,000
Corn, bushels	847,000	332,000
Oats, bushels..	725,000	357,000
Rye, bushels	9,000	......
Barley, bushels	67,000	......

Ware & Leland's Grain Letter.

By Private Wire to C. B. Woodruff.

Chicago, September 6.—Liverpool closed ¼d higher, due to the political situation; London futures ⅛d higher; Paris 20 centimes lower; Antwerp unchanged. Very hot weather prevails throughout the corn belt, while the weather is generally fair in the northwest, with indications of its continuance. Government weekly crop report says while conditions have been fairly favorable for stacking and threshing in Red river valley, reports of injury from excessive moisture to wheat in shock and stack continue from portions of Minnesota and South Dakota, as well as from Washington. Less injury in Oregon than was expected. It is reported in the southwest that plowing for winter wheat is stopped on account of too much dry weather. Clearances about 500,000; for three days 1,600,000. The seaboard claims thirty loads worked for export. There is an improved demand for flour. World's visible increased 2,521,000. It looks very much as if there would be a large run of spring wheat in the northwest, while receipts of winter wheat will fall down. The short interest was quite active today and some large lines were covered. There has been fairly good buying by the same interests that started in yesterday, while the northwest, as usual, was on the selling side. The market presented quite a strong front, and has all the appearance of working toward a higher level.

Corn has shown quite a strong front, due to extreme hot weather, which prevails through the belt. There was some selling on light rains in Central Illinois, but the closing was a firm one. Shippers paid a premium for cash over September. Freights were a little easier, and charters were made for 550,000 bushels. It is the generally expressed opinion of the best people in the trade that previous estimates on the crop will be cut down very materially.

Oats were quite dull but firm. There were large selling orders at 22c for May.

Provisions—Shipments of lard 1,800,000; meats 3,297,000. The market has moved up slowly under fairly good buying by packers. Yellow fever has been lost sight of. Trade has been light, but it looks very much as if values would work higher.

The Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool, September 6.—Closing: Corn, spot American mixed nominally firm at 3s 4⅝d; old firm at 3s 4⅝d; futures steady; September 3s 4⅝d; October 3s 5¼d; November 3s 6¼d.

Wheat, spot and futures steady; September 5s 9¼d; December 5s 11⅜d; March 6s 11½d.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, September 6.—Coffee, options opened steady at unchanged prices and ruled fairly active; later, with local covering a feature, there was an advance of 5 points in some positions, but there was a partial reaction under liberal offerings; cables were about a standoff; closed steady 5 points higher to 5 points lower; sales 18,500 bags, including October 4.35; November 4.35; December 4.60; March 4.75@4.80; May 4.85@4.90. Spot coffee, Rio dull and weak; No. 7 invoice 5½; No. 7 jobbing 6; mild steady; Cordova 6⅜@11¼.

Sugar, raw easier; fair refining 3 15-16; centrifugal 96-test 4 7-16; molasses sugar 3¾; refined quiet; cubes 5 7-16.

New Orleans, September 6.—Sugar, centrifugal yellow 4⅛@4⅜; seconds 2½@4⅛. Molasses dull; centrifugal 6@14.

The Treasury Statement.

Washington, September 6.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $278,398,338; gold reserve, $249,885,014.

The Live Stock Market.

Chicago, September 6.—Prices for good to choice cattle were strong today under an excellent demand. Common and medium grades were also firm. Good to choice beeves sold at $5.70@6.85; commoner grades at $4.10@5.65; stockers and feeders $3.00@4.75; bulls, cows and heifers $2.00@5.35; Texas steers $3.50@4.20; rangers $3.40@5.40; calves $4.00@7.25.

Prices for hogs were steady and about unchanged. The demand was fair and offerings light. Heavy hogs sold at $4.00@4.60; mixed lots at $4.50@4.65; lights $4.20@4.70; pigs brought $3.40@4.40, and culls $2.00@3.95.

There was a fairly good demand for both sheep and lambs, and prices were unchanged. Sheep sold at $2.25@4.50 for the poorest to the best; western range flocks $3.50@4.25; lambs sold at $3.50@6.00 for common up to $6.10@6.25 for prime flocks.

Receipts—Cattle 14,000; hogs 21,000; sheep, 15,000.

St. Louis, September 6.—Cattle—Receipts 4,500, including 1,000 Texans. Market strong to 10c higher for natives; Texas steady; native shipping and export steers $4.75@6.40; dressed beef steers $4.25@5.85; steers under 1,000 pounds $3.50@5.30; stockers and feeders $2.85@4.60; cows and heifers $2.25@4.50; canners $1.50@2.75; bulls $2.40@3.75; Texas and Indian steers $3.15@4.60; cows and heifers $2.65@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts 4,500. Market weak to 10c lower. Pigs and lights $4.45@4.60; packers $4.30@4.50; butchers $4.45@4.60.

Sheep—Receipts 2,600. Market barely steady. Native muttons $3.75@4.25; lambs $4.65@5.75; stockers $2.25@3.50; culls and bucks $2.00@4.00.

Available Supply Changes.

New York, September 6.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's indicate the following changes in available supplies last Saturday:

Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rocky mountains, increase 1,121,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increase 1,400,000 bushels. Total supply increase 2,521,000 bushels.

Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rocky mountains, increase 150,000 bushels.

Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rocky mountains, increased 1,681,000 bushels.

The more important increases reported to Bradstreet's are those of 435,000 bushels at Chicago private elevators, 241,000 at Cairo and 120,000 at Manitoba storage points.

The principal decreases are those of 63,000 at Milwaukee private elevators and 50,000 at Fort Worth.

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381 S. Pryor st., 8 rooms, elegant, $25.
310 Whitehall st., 10 rooms, $30.
419 Whitehall st., 8 rooms, $20.
307 Whitehall st., 7 rooms, $30.
98 Love st., 7 rooms, $17.50.
72 Markham, 6 rooms, $14; and others.

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Cheap Rate Will Afford Every One an Opportunity To Visit Atlanta During Fair.

The chairman of the Southeastern Passenger Association has issued a circular giving a rate of one fare for the round trip and a special rate of 1 cent per mile for eight special days for the State fair this fall.

This rate is as low as was ever granted to attend any fair held in the south and will be the cause of thousands attending it.

The regular rate of one fare for the round trip will apply only in the state of Georgia and the tickets will be sold daily October 16th to November 4th, inclusive. There will be added to the fare 50 cents for one admission to the fair grounds. The final limit to each ticket will be November 6th.

A rate for the special days of one first-class fare, plus 50 cents admission to the grounds, has been granted from Ozark, Troy, Montgomery, Selma, Birmingham, Ala.; Chattanooga, Knoxville, Tenn.; Asheville, N. C.; Spartanburg, Columbia, Charleston, S. C.; Jacksonville, Lake City, Live Oak, Fla., and all intermediate stations with a final limit November 6th.

At the same time these rates apply from the other states named above, the rate in Georgia from all points will be 1 cent per mile, but the tickets will have a five-day limit on them.

Copy of the Circular.

The circular issued is as follows:

"The chairman of the South Eastern Passenger Association has been requested by the Atlantic Coast Line, Atlanta, Knoxville and Northern railway, Atlantic, Valdosta and Westren railway, Central of Georgia Railway Company, Florida Central and Peninsular railroad, Georgia Southern and Florida railway, Plant system of railways, Southern railway, Tifton and Northeastern railroad, Western and Atlantic railroad, Western Railway of Alabama to announce the following rates to Atlanta, Ga., and return, account of occasion above specified, namely:

"A rate of one first-class fare for the round trip, plus 50 cents admission to the fair grounds, from all points within the state of Georgia; tickets to be sold daily October 16th to November 4th inclusive, with final limit November 6, 1899 inclusive.

"Also a rate of one first-class fare for the round trip, plus 50 cents admission to the fair grounds, from Ozark, Troy, Montgomery, Selma, Birmingham, Ala.; Chattanooga, Knoxville, Tenn.; Asheville, N. C.; Spartanburg, Columbia, Charleston, S. C.; Jacksonville, Lake City, Live Oak, Fla., and intermediate points in said states; tickets to be sold October —, —, —, — and November —, —, —, with final limit November 6, 1899, inclusive. (Specific selling dates will be announced later.)

"Also rates on following scaled basis (which includes 50 cents admission to the fair grounds) from all points within the state of Georgia; tickets to be sold October —, —, —, —, — and November —, —, —, with final limits five (5) days from date of sale. (Specific selling dates will be announced later.)

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280 miles and under 290	6 40
290 miles and under 300	6 60

"The minimum net rate to be 50 cents in addition to fee for admission to the fair grounds.

"Half of the above rates to apply for children between the ages of five and twelve—the fair committee having furnished advice that the admission fee for children will be 25 cents.

"Ticket forms will be shown in a subsequent circular.

"All non-membership lines within the above described territory have expressed a willingness to participate in the rates and conditions named."

At Colquitt Place.

Friday afternoon and night there will be a lawn fete for the building fund of Epworth church, which was recently destroyed by fire.

For an hour and a half in the afternoon, beginning at 5 the little people will be entertained with music and games, etc.

From 8 to 11 the older people will be made welcome.

A pleasant trolley ride on the Inman Park car or the Traction car to Decatur will bring them to Colquitt Place, where the spacious grounds will be beautifully lighted, and delicious refreshments will be served. Of course there will be music and other things to entertain those "children of an older growth." Any host or hostess who desires to have ices and cake served at that place for a trolley party Friday night, can do so if they will telephone Miss Wright at Colquitt Place Friday morning.

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Details of Several Fall Weddings

An interesting and picturesque feature of the Raine-Willcoxon wedding, to occur at St. Luke's cathedral the evening of the 14th, will be the appearance of the groomsmen in their full dress military uniform, Captain Willcoxon having selected his attendants from among the officers of the Twenty-ninth United States infantry in which he is captain, and from among his former associates of the Second Georgia regiment.

Captain Joseph Van Holt Nash will be best man, and the groomsmen will be Lieutenant Walter Wheately, Lieutenant Blanton Winship, Lieutenant Rash, Lieutenant Fuquay, Lieutenant Alman, of the Twenty-ninth, United States infantry; Colonel W. J. Obear, formerly acting adjutant general of the state, and Mr. Hal Bacon, of Savannah, formerly of the Second Georgia regiment.

The ushers will be Major Livingston Mims, Dr. Robert Ridley, Captain Lovell, Mr. Joseph Raine, Jr., and Mr. Elias Boylston.

As previously stated the maid of honor will be Miss Genie West, and the bridesmaids Misses Gertrude White, Daisy Hester and Fonda Gilbert, of Albany; Misses Alice Mynatt, Hessie Boylston and Maud and Ruby Scruggs, of Atlanta.

The decorations at the church will be simple palms to be used within the chancel rail. At the home of the bride, where a brilliant reception will follow the church ceremony, the scheme of decorations will be of white and green.

The bridesmaids will wear white chiffon with scarf sashes of pale green and they will carry white flowers. The bride's gown of heavy white satin duchesse will have draperies of rare old lace in Honiton medalion.

The wedding of Miss Maybelle Lewis and Mr. Marion S. Houser will occur the evening of October 25th at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lewis, on Peachtree street.

Miss Ruth Lewis will be maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be: Misses Lucile Milam, Edna Miller, Mabel Drake, Eula Kilby, Mary Howell. The best man will be Mr. Edward S. Houser, and the groomsmen will be Messrs. Travis Huff, Arthur Williford, Thomas Scrutchin and Will Martin. The scheme of the house decorations will be white and green. The bridesmaids will wear white chiffon over green silk; the maid of honor will wear green and the first bridesmaid will wear white.

The bride's gown will be of appropriate elegance, the material being of white crepe de chine over silk, with lace trimmings.

Important Announcement

The Club Woman, the official organ of the National Federation of Woman's Clubs, makes the following announcement:

Mrs. William B. Lowe, of Atlanta, president of the National Federation of Woman's Clubs, has called a meeting of the honorary members of the federation who live in Paris, in order to confer with them concerning the work of organizing clubs there. Meantime the special committee, with Mrs. William Tod Helmuth as chairman, appointed by Mrs. Lowe to take charge of the Paris exposition exhibit, is working on its plans and will soon be ready to make some announcements of interest. There will be a local committee in Paris to attend to the details of arrangement. Mrs. Lowe will not return until the very last of this month.

Important Meeting.

A special meeting of the Atlanta Free Kindergarten Association is called for Friday morning at 11 o'clock, September 8th, at the apartments of Mrs. William Nixon, the Majestic.

MRS. T. A. HAMMOND, Secretary.

Some Bright Character Sketches.

Tonight at the hall of the Cable Piano Company, Mrs. Nannie McClellan will give a delightful entertainment for the benefit of the Woman's Co-operative home. The programme will consist of a number of bright character sketches in music and song, Mrs. McClellan being wonderfully gifted as a deleneator of negro dialect. Her selections for this evening have been made with great care and those who have heard her and know of her talent are anticipating a happy treat in her entertainment for the commendable purpose of aiding the Woman's Co-operative home.

Social Items.

Miss Sarah Dement, of Huntsville, Ala., will be the guest of Miss Nellie Philips next week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hall will be at home at Mrs W. D. Palmer's after October 1st.

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Misses Gertrude White, Fonda Gilbert and Daisy Hester, of Albany, will be the guests of Miss Dora Raine next week.

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Miss Isabel Block will visit St. Louis in the fall.

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Miss Eva Chamberlin has returned from Europe.

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McKenzie Barnes is the name given the infant son of of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Barnes.

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Miss Minnie Carrol has returned home.

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Miss Hester, of Albany, is the guest of Miss Redding, on Pryor street.

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Miss Clara Wimberly and Miss Addie Maud are the guests of Mrs. Edward C. Peters.

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Mr. James W. English, Jr., has returned from a visit north. Mrs. English and Miss Jennie English are at Hot Springs, Va.

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The friends of Miss Bertha Miles will be grieved to learn of her illness at her home, 74 Walton street.

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The friends of Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Jr., are delighted that she has recovered from her recent illness.

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Mrs. J. C. Hunter and Miss Glover will not return to Atlanta until the 1st of November.

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Mrs. Edward McCerren, of Jackson, Miss., is the guest of Mrs. Milton Dargan.

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Miss Harry Fumade will remain some time at New Babylon, L. I.

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Mr. Marion Knowles is in the city.

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Mr. Barbour Thompson is at Hot Springs, Va.

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Mrs. Sam Bowman and Miss May Walters have returned from the north.

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Misses Fannie and Myrtle Watson, of Mobile, will arrive in Atlanta Saturday evening and will be the guests of Miss Mabel Gentry for two weeks.

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Mrs. F. J. Ridley and Miss Reina Grey Ridley will arrive tomorrow, after an extended European tour.

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The woman's relief corps of the auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic will meet with Mrs. C. M. Holtz, 182 Highland avenue, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

ADVISORY BOARD TO MEET SEPT. 18

Highest Military Board in State Called by Governor.

A STEP IN REORGANIZATION

Board Will Be in Session for Fully Two Days at Capitol.

CHOOSE NEW COMMANDS FOR MILITIA

The Advisory Board Is Made Up of Many of the Most Prominent Military Men in State.

Governor Candler directed an order yesterday morning through the acting adjutant general summoning the military advisory board of the state to meet in Atlanta on Monday, September 18th. The meeting of the state board was forecasted in The Constitution some days ago, and considerable interest attaches to the meeting of the officers who were last in session more than a year and a half ago.

The session of the board, which consists of the following members, will be the most important step in the reorganization of the state militia:

General John M. Kell, adjutant general, Sunnyside; Colonel A. J. West, quartermaster general, Atlanta; Colonel A. R. Lawton, First infantry, Savannah; Colonel W. E. Wooten, Fourth infantry, Albany; Lieutenant Colonel E. D. Huguenin, Second infantry, Macon; Lieutenant Colonel W. S. Shepherd, aid-de-camp, Columbus; Major Beirne Gordon, First cavalry, Savannah; Captain W. A. Patton, Third infantry, Rome; Captain A. J. Renkl, Sixth infantry, Augusta; Captain J. S. Dozier, First battalion cavalry, Atlanta, Ga.; Captain W. W. Barker, Fifth infantry, Atlanta.

The advisory board will hear the report of Inspector General Obear, who has been engaged in the examination of the different commands of the militia since the early spring. Colonel Obear's recommendations regarding the status of companies will be given the most careful consideration, but no company will be disbanded except by the order of the military advisory board.

In addition to the work of passing on the merits of different commands, the board will be called on to suggest to the governor the new organizations of those that have filed applications to take the place of those to be disbanded.

The military board will probably be in session for two or three days and the meetings, which are to be executive, will be held in the office of the acting adjutant general.

The following is the order issued by direction of Governor Candler yesterday:

> State of Georgia, Adjutant General's Office, Atlanta, September 5, 1899.—Special Orders No. 115: 1. The military advisory board is hereby directed to meet at the capitol, Atlanta, Monday, September 18th, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the transaction of such business relating to the military establishment as may be laid before it.
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> By command of the governor:
> WILLIAM G. OBEAR,
> Colonel, Inspector General Georgia Volunteers, Acting Adjutant General.

AMUSEMENTS

An amusing comedy bill, "The Black Mask," was put on last night by the Peruchi-Beldeni company at the Columbia theater. A large audience was present and enjoyed the play. The entire company appeared in vaudeville between acts and the result was a most pleasing bill for a warm evening.

Emile Subers sang several coon songs, which received many encores.

The Carleton sisters scored heavily with their songs and dances. They are not only remarkably good dancers, but decidedly good looking. The Carletons are strong favorites with Atlanta audiences.

Holt and Denicke in their original musical turn kept the audience amused for fifteen minutes. Peruchi sang a comic ditty in his usual slever style.

A new bill, "The Pearl of Savoy," will be played tonight.

Numbers will be given out at each performance good for the $25 on Saturday night.

The Woodward-Warren company will be next week's attraction for the Columbia theater.

Guy Woodward has a company this season which is spoken of very highly by the press of Savannah, where he is now filling a week's engagement to packed houses. Ladies will be free as usual next Monday night.

The advance sale will open Saturday morning at Miller's.

Herrmann, the prince of magicians, had considerable fun with a street car conductor in St. Louis, Mo., recently. Herrmann was on a down town Washington avenue car, the conductor came through collecting fares and Herrmann had in his hand to give him a ten-dollar gold piece. The conductor glanced at the coin and said: "I can't change that; is that the smallest you have?" "You can't change that?" said Herrmann, and in his hand was a 50-cent piece. The conductor glancing suspiciously at him, reached out taking the coin, when, to his surprise, it was again a ten-dollar gold piece. "Did I not tell you," he said, savagely handing the coin back to Herrmann, "I could not change it? You will have to give me something smaller, or else get off the car. The company does not make change for anything over $2." "Well, you will have to change this then," said Herrmann, and there in his hand was the 50-cent piece. "Say, what is this any way?" said the conductor; "have I got them?" "I don't know," said Herrmann, "whether you have or not, but if you don't change this coin and stop annoying me I shall report you to the company." The crowd, who had recognized Herrmann, roared with laughter.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for alderman to fill the unexpired term of Dr. J. D. Turner, resigned. Respectfully, H. M. BEUTELL.

I respectfully announce my candidacy for alderman from the north side, subject to city primary.
HARVEY JOHNSON.

For Councilmen.

First Ward.

I announce myself a candidate for councilman from the first ward, subject to city primary. S. P. MONCRIEF.

Second Ward.

I hereby announce myself for councilman from the second ward subject to primary. I favor the streets being sprinkled by the city. E. W. McNEAL.

Third Ward.

I am a candidate for councilman from the third ward, subject to action of democratic primary. A. C. MINHINNETT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for council from the fourth ward, subject to the white primary to be held October 5th. GEORGE S. BROWN.

Fifth Ward.

I announce myself a candidate for councilman from the fourth ward subject to city primary. W. M. TERRY.
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I respectfully announce my candidacy for council from the Fifth ward, subject to city primary. A. Q. ADAMS.

Sixth Ward.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the action of the primary.
J. A. HUTCHISON.

Seventh Ward.

I AM a candidate for councilman from the seventh ward, subject to the action of the primary. Dr. T. D. LONGINO.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, August 9, 1899: George Young, administrator of estate of Emma J. Young, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in November next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.
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W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, August 9, 1899: McKenzie O. Thompson, administrator of estate of Mary E. Thompson, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in November next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, August 9, 1899: W. T. Wilson, administrator of estate of H. O. King, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in November next why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, June 8, 1899. Robert R. McCormick, administrator of the estate of Clara M. Wilson, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in September next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. John T. Coker, Charles D. Coker and Eugene A. Coker, executors of will of James W. Coker, deceased, represent that they have fully discharged the duties of their said trust, and pray for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said executors should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. William Erskine, administrator of estate of William Burns, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. Thomas J. Anderson, administrator of estate of David B. Anderson, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.
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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. Emily M. Slaughter, administratrix of estate of John W. Slaughter, represents that she has fully discharged the duties of her said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said administratrix should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. Adolphus G. Ballard, administrator of estate of Nancy Ann Ballard, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, August 9, 1899: Darwin G. Jones, executor of will of Edward L. Jones, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in November next, why said executor should not be discharged from said trust.
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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, June 7, 1899. Anton L. Kontz, executor of the will of George Greene, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in September next, why said executor should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. William S. Cox and Charles C. Cox, executors of will of Mary C. Cox, deceased, represent that they have fully discharged the duties of their said trust, and pray for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said executors should not be discharged from said trust.
W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, July 12, 1899. Harvey Hatcher, administrator of estate of Park Morrill, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in October next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.
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115	Hapeville..	5 45 pm	112	Hapeville..	4 40 pm
111	Jonesboro..	2 05 pm	114	Hapeville..	6 10 pm
[illegible]	Hapeville....	30 pm	•116	Griffin..	6 45 pm
•1	Savannah..	7 35 pm	•4	Savannah..	8 30 pm
117	Hapeville..	7 50 pm	118	Jonesboro..	11 10 pm
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President George C. Smith, of the Western Railway of Alabama, returned yesterday from the company's annual meeting, which was held in Montgomery on Tuesday.

The Western had a prosperous year under Mr. Smith's management. His annual report showed the following results:

		Increase.
Gross earnings. . . .	$668,334.61	$64,704.26
Operating expenses. .	406,648.44	17,462.70
Net earnings.	261,686.17	47,241.56

While the Western Railway of Alabama was unable, from its location and connections with reference to southern ports, to secure any large portion of the movement of war material, troops and supplies, in connection with the military operations of the government in progress during the year, it nevertheless shared in the benefits of increased activity in all commercial and industrial enterprises, with the result that both its gross and net earnings were larger than in any previous year.

As compared with the previous year the gross receipts increased $64,704.26, equal to 10.7 per cent. Net receipts increased 22 per cent.

The total operating expenses increased 4.5 per cent, representing expenditures for new steel bridges and masonry, new equipment and application of air brakes, automatic couplers, etc., to freight equipment.

Expenses of conducting transportation increased 4.8 per cent, accompanying an increase of 10.7 per cent in gross receipts; 11.3 per cent in tons carried one mile, and 23.4 per cent in passengers carried one mile.

Figures That Speak.

Judicious management is reflected in the statement that the percentage of operating expenses to gross receipts was 60.9 per cent, a decrease of 3.6 per cent compared with the previous year.

As a general proposition, no figures convey so much meaning in railroading as the per cent of operating expenses to gross receipts. Sixty-six per cent is considered a good average. As the percentage increases, the more it reflects against a management, as a rule, and the farther it drops below that average, the greater is the credit for the management. In keeping it down to less than 61, the Western's management did something which few companies can boast.

New Terminal at Montgomery.

During the year new freight terminals were constructed at Montgomery by the R. D. Cole Manufacturing Company under plans and specifications prepared by Mr. Grant Wilkins, engineer, Atlanta, Ga., and turned over for occupation June 14, 1899.

These terminals consist of a general office building 45x158 feet of Baltimore gray brick with terra cotta trimmings; receiving freight house 34x400 feet, and delivering freight house, 50x400 feet of selected red brick, with four delivery tracks and transfer platform ten feet wide and 400 feet long between the two houses. A driveway forty to seventy-five feet in width, paved with granite blocks, was constructed around these buildings with 13x162 cement sidewalk in front of the general office building. A part of Coosa street, 70 feet in width and 250 feet in length, was paved with granite blocks. Bulk yards to a capacity of 100 cars were constructed on grounds brought to grade and top dressed with broken stone and red gravel. The entire yard, containing about nine acres, was enclosed with brick walls, iron and wooden fencing and iron gates. A brick road department building 30x60 feet was constructed in rear of the delivery freight depot.

The trains of the Western railway have been safely operated during the year, and no accidents involving severe personal injuries have occurred.

The replacement of all combination bridges by iron structures will be completed during coming year, allowing the use of the heaviest types of freight and passenger engines on the main line between West Point and Montgomery.

Sales of land for location of industries were made during the year to the Montgomery Compress Company and the Excelsior brick works, from which was realized the sum of $4,430.

The new plant of the Opelika chemical works has been located since the close of the year on lands adjoining the main line of the Western Railway of Alabama, near Opelika.

The guage of the Tuskegee railroad, extending from Chehaw to Tuskegee, Ala., was widened on July 31, 1898, allowing the interchange of car load freights with this company at Chehaw without transfer.

Large additions to the plants of the Lanett cotton mills, at Lanett, Ala., and the Tallassee Falls Manufacturing Company, at Tallassee, Ala., are under construction, the completion of which will furnish valuable traffic to the Wetsern Railway of Alabama.

The equipment of freight cars with air brakes and automatic couplers was continued during the year at an expenditure of $10,395.44, and will be completed in accordance with law on January 1, 1900. Purchases of freight equipment were made during the year, consisting of ten thirty-eight foot stock cars, one box and two coal cars for replacement at a total cost of $6,750.

There were present Mr. M. H. Smith, President Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company; H. M. Comer, president Central of Georgia Railway Company; J. M. Egan, vice president of Central of Georgia Railway Company; J. M. Falkner, attorney Louisville and Nashville railroad; L. Lanier, West Point, Ga.; R. M. Green, Opelika, Ala., directors; H. M. Abbett, secretary and treasurer, and George C. Smith, president and general manager, Atlanta, Ga.

One New Director.

At the stockholders' meeting the following board of directors were elected for the coming year: George C. Smith, president; H. M. Comer, John M. Egan, L. Lanier, R. M. Green, J. M. Falkner and H. Walters. The meeting was a most harmonious one, and everything ran as if greased. Under the masterly management of Mr. Smith the Western has done more than it ever has before, and a higher compliment could not be paid him than the fact that year after year the directors and stockholders have let everything remain just as he directed during the year. The only change that was made at the meeting yesterday was in the board directors, President Milton H. Smith, of the Louisville and Nashville, retiring and Mr. H. Walters being elected a member of the board.

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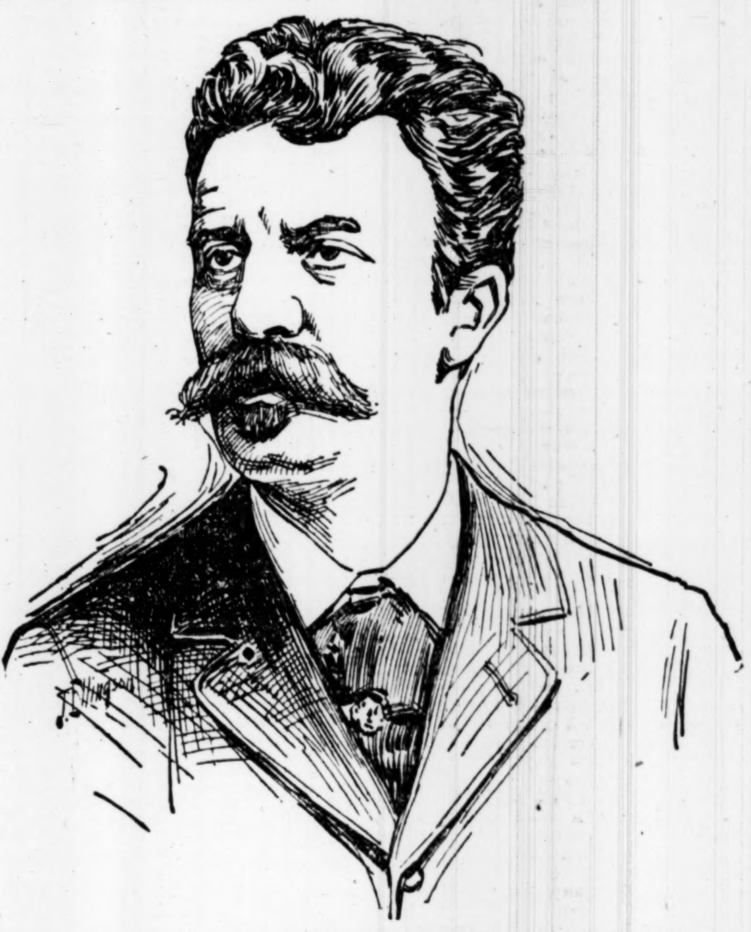

GUY DE MAUPASSANT.

The more carefully we study the history of fiction the more clearly we perceive that the novel and the short story are essentially different—that the difference between them is not one of mere length only, but fundamental. The short story seeks one set of effects in its own way and the novel seeks a wholly distinct set of effects in a wholly distinct way. We are led also to the conclusion that the short story—in spite of the fact that in our language it has no name of its own—is one of the few sharply defined literary forms. It is a genre, as M. Brunetiere terms it, a species, as a naturalist might call it, as individual as the lyric itself and as various. It is as distinct an entity as the epic, as tragedy, as comedy. Now the novel is not a form of the same sharply defined individuality; it is—or at least it may be—anything. It is the child of the epic and the heir of the drama; but it is a hybrid. And one of the foremost of living American novelists, who happens also to be one of the most acute and sympathetic of American critics, told me that he was often distracted by the knowledge of this fact even while he was writing a novel.

In the history of literature the short story was developed long before the novel, which indeed is but a creature of yesterday. The short story also seems much easier of accomplishment than the novel, if only because it is briefer. And yet the list of the masters of the short story is far less crowded than the list of the masters of the longer form. There are a dozen or more very great novelists recorded in the history of fiction, but there are scarcely more than half a dozen short-story writers. From Chaucer and Boccaccio we pass to Hawthorne and Poe almost without finding another name that insists upon enrollment. A little later we light upon Merimee and Turgenef, whose title to be recorded there is none to dispute. Now at the end of the nineteenth century we find two more that no competent critic would dare to omit—Guy de Maupassant and Rudyard Kipling.

Guy de Maupassant, born in 1850, had the usual education given to the son of French parents neither rich nor poor. In the Franco-Prussian war in 1870 he did his duty as a soldier. When peace came at last he received a position in the civil service—a clerkship in the navy department that paid him $300 a year. His school days had been passed at Rouen, where he had come under the influence of Louis Bouilhet, a French poet of a celebrity now a little faded. His new post was in Paris, where he was enabled to avail himself of the kindly advice of Gustave Flaubert, the author of that merciless masterpiece, "Madame Bovary."

In the preface of "Pierre et Jean" Maupassant has recorded how he learned from Bouilhet that a single lyric, a scant 100 lines, would give immortality to a poet if they were only fine enough, and that for the author who sought to escape oblivion there was only one course to pursue—to learn his trade thoroughly, to master every secret of the craft, to do his best always, in the hope that some fortunate day the muse would reward his unfailing devotion. And from Flaubert the young man learned the importance of individuality, of originality, of the personal note which should be all his own and which should never suggest or recall any one else's. Flaubert was kindly and encouraging, but he was a desperately severe taskmaster. At Flaubert's dictation Maupassant gave up verse for prose, and for seven years he wrote incessantly and published nothing. The stories and tales and verses and dramas of those seven years of apprenticeship were ruthlessly criticised by the author of "Madame Bovary" and then they were destroyed unprinted. No other author ever served so severe a novitiate.

Douglas Jerrold once said of a certain British author, who had begun to publish very young, that "he had taken down the shutters before he had anything to put up in the shop windows." From being transfixed by such a jibe Maupassant was preserved by Flaubert. When he was thirty he contributed to the Soirees de Medan that masterpiece of ironic humor, "Boule de Suif," and on his first appearance in the arena of letters he stepped at once to the front rank. That was in 1880, and in 1892 his mind gave way and he was taken to the asylum, where he soon died. In those twelve years he had published a dozen volumes of short stories and half a dozen novels. Of the novel he might have made himself master in time; of the short story he proved himself a master with the very earliest of all his tales to appear.

It must be admitted at once that many of his earlier short stories have to do with the lower aspects of man's merely animal activity. Maupassant had an abundance of what the French themselves call "Gallic salt." His humor was not squeamish; it delighted in dealing with themes that our Anglo-Saxon prudery prefers not to touch. But even at the beginning this liking for what those of us who speak English avoid in print never led him to put dirt where dirt was not an essential element of his narrative. Dirty many of these tales were, no doubt, but many of them were not. He never went out of his way to offend, as not a few of his compatriots seem to enjoy doing. He handled whatever subject he took with the same absolute understanding of its value, of the precise treatment best suited to it. If it was a dirty theme he had chosen—and he had no prejudice against such a theme—he did whatever was needful to get the most out of his subject. If it was not a dirty theme, then there was never any touch of the tar brush. When Mr. Jonathan Sturges came to select out of all Maupassan'ts work the exquisite tales which he translated most skillfully and to which he gave the title of "The Odd Number," he had not to omit or modify or to attenuate a single word in all the thirteen.

These earlier tales also were not a little hard and stern and unsympathetic—and here again Maupassant was the disciple of Flaubert. They were cold and they were contemptuous—at least, they made the reader feel that the author heartily despised the creatures he was depicting. They dealt mainly by the externals of life with outward actions, and they implied not always adequately the internal motives. But in time the mind came to interest Maupassant as much as the body. In his later tales there is even a tendency toward the psychology of the morbid. The thought of death and the dread of mental disease seemed to possess him. In "Le Horla," for example, we find Maupassant taking for his own Fitzjames O'Brien's uncanny monster, invisible and yet tangible, and the Frenchman gave it an added touch of terror by making the unfortunate victim discover that the creature he feared had a stronger will than his own, and that he was being hypnotized to his doom by a being whom he could not see, but whose presence he could feel.

The short stories of Maupassant are masterpieces of the art of story-telling, because he had a Greek sense of form, a Latin power of construction and a French felicity of style. They are simple, most of them; direct, swift, inevitable and inexorable in their straightforward movement. If art consists in the suppression of non-essentials, there have been few greater artists in fiction than Maupassant. In his tales there is never a word wasted, and there is never an excurcus. Nor is there any feebleness or fumbling. What he wanted to do he did, with the unerring certainty of Leatherstocking, hitting the bull's-eye again and again. He had the abundance and the ease of the very great artists, and the half dozen or the half score of his best stories are among the very best short stories in any language.

Brander Matthews
Columbia University.

SELECTED STUDIES AND CRITICISM

Flaubert was not the sole inspirer and master of Maupassant. Merimee's short tales, it is very evident, also guided him. Though perhaps less imaginative than Merimee, and more turned to psychology, Maupassant has a style which at times reminds one of Merimee's. The majority of the heroes, too, are the same pessimistic, ironical personalities as in Merimee, though Maupassant's irony is perhaps more tempered with generous pity than is the case with the author of "Carmen." We should not forget, either, that Maupassant, who died in 1893, was taken in the prime of his years, so that his pessimism was a fruit of his own mood—a result of the atmosphere which he breathed, rather than, as with Merimee, the outcome of disillusion and of the tedious monotony of things and of life generally.—De Bury.

A life wholly comprised in ten years of incessant literary production, in labor that was prolific without haste; starting with the instant conquest of celebrity and ending suddenly in hopeless madness; the life of a man who sought to enjoy everything with his mind and body at the same time; of an artist who, from the day when he created his first work of art until the final hour when the pen dropped from his fingers, never experienced the slightest diminution of talent, but advanced steadily, with his eyes fixed on perfection; a brief and crowded life, which has a beauty of its own from the aesthetic standpoint and a certain moral beauty also, since in the struggle with the difficulties of form and the more poignant struggle against the encroachments of his malady it testifies to a continual effort of will—such is the life of Maupassant! And his work is one, amid all its varieties—one in its inward principle of action, however modified by the influences that pervade the air in an artistic period; always directed toward the study of certain subjects, and yet reflecting all the manifold and changing aspects of life; a work in which there is little that is mediocre and insignificant, and parts of which seem made of lasting material, capable of resisting the gnawing tooth of time—such is Maupassan'ts work! And it is because of this life and this work that the announcement of his death left none of us unmoved.—Rene Doumic.

This living realism is absolutely pure with Guy de Maupassant. He was rarely ever tempted toward the study and description of what are called the upper classes, or by the luxury which fascinated Balzac. His predilection for ordinary scenes and ordinary types is everywhere evident; he uses all kinds of settings—a cafe, a furnished room, a farmyard, seen in their actual character without poetic transfiguration, with all their vulgarity, their poverty, their ugliness. And he uses, too, all kinds of characters—clerks, peasants of Normandy, petty bourgeois of Paris and of the country. They live the empty, tragic or grotesque hours of their lives; are sometimes touching, sometimes odious, and never achieve greatness either in heroism or in wickedness. They are not gay, these stories; and the kind of amusement they afford is strongly mixed with irony, pity and contempt. Gayety, whether brutal, frank, mocking or delicate, never leaves this bitter taste in the heart. How pitiful in its folly, in its vanity, in its weakness, is the humanity which loves, weeps or agitates in the tales of Maupassant! There virtue, if awkward, is never recompensed, nor vice, if skillful, punished; mothers are not always saints nor sons always grateful and respectful; the guilty are often ignorant of remorse. Then are these beings immoral? To tell the truth, they are guided by their instincts, by events, submissive to the laws of necessity and apparently released by the author from all responsibility.—Firmin Roz.

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Mondays: Vacation Studies for Young Naturalists. Tuesdays: Historic Cities of Europe. Wednesdays: Popular Lectures in Physical Science. Thursdays and Fridays: Three Centuries of French Literature. Saturdays: Royal Women of European History. These courses will continue until October 15th. Examinations will be held at their close as a basis for the granting of certificates.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

FUNERAL NOTICE.

LANDAUER.—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. S. Landauer are requested to attend the funeral of the late Mr. S. Landauer Thursday, September 7th, 10 a. m., at the residence 6 Baltimore Place. Burial at Oakland. The following gentlemen are respectfully requested to act as pallbearers and honorary escort, and to meet at the office of H. M. Patterson at 9:15 o'clock: Pallbearers—W. E. Austin, W. Menko, E. G. Coffman, L. C. White, G. Loeffler, George Whitters, Jack Evans, George Welch, C. S. Wrenn. Honorary escort—L. H. Beck, James W. English, S. Thanhouser, J. K. Ottley, C. A. Collier, Aaron Haas, George W. Parrott, Joseph Hirsch, R. A. Sonn, E. Roberts, M. Rich, Jacob Haas, D. Kaufman, F. Schiff, George E. King, John S. Clark, Harvey Anderson.

WISELOGLE.—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wiselogle, Miss Clara Wiselogle, Mr. Harry Wiselogle and Master Roy Wiselogle are invited to attend the funeral of the former today at 3:30 p. m. from his late residence, 681 South Pryor street. The following gentlemen will act as pallbearersa nd meet at residence at 3:15 o'clock: Messrs. J. Sullivan, A. T. Thons, W. D. Hooper, George, Chappelle, W. H. Dunlap and A. H. Corrill.

MEETING.

A special communication of Atlanta lodge No. 59, A. F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic hall, corner Pryor and Hunter streets, this (Thursday) morning at 9 o'clock, to attend the funeral of S. Landauer. All qualified brethren earnestly requested to attend. Funeral committees please take notice. A. L. CURTIS, W. M.
W. O. STAMPS, Secretary.

A regular communication of Fulton lodge, No. 216, F. and A. M., will be held in Masonic hall, corner Pryor and Hunter streets, this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. All qualified brothers fraternally invited. DAVID MARX, W. M.
HENRY C. MEAD, Acting Secretary.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, September 6.—Forecast: Virginia—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; fresh north to east winds.

North Carolina—Generally fair Thursday and Friday, except probably local thunder storms Thursday; variable winds, mostly fresh southerly.

South Carolina and Georgia—Generally fair Thursday and Friday; fresh winds, mostly southerly.

Eastern Florida—Local thunder storms Thursday and probably Friday; fresh northeasterly winds.

Western Florida, Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana, Eastern and Western Texas and Arkansas—Generally fair; continued warm Thursday and Friday; winds mostly fresh southerly.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Generally fair; continued warm Thursday and Friday; variable winds.

Local Report for Yesterday.

Daily mean temperature.. .... [illegible]
Daily normal temperature.. .... [illegible]
Highest temperature....... .... [illegible]
Lowest temperature....... .... [illegible]
Total rainfall.. .... [illegible]
Deficiency since January 1st.. .... [illegible]

J. B. MARBURY,
Local Forecast Official.

General Weather Report.

Reports received at Atlanta, Ga., on September 6, 1899. Observations taken at all stations at 8 p. m., 75th Meridian time:

STATION.	Temperature.	Maximum	Rainfall in inches.
New York, part cloudy..	70	82	.00
Norfolk, cloudy	86	98	.00
Charlotte, cloudy	80	98	.00
Raleigh, clear	80	100	.24
Wilmington, clear	82	94	.00
Charleston, clear	82	92	[illegible]
Augusta, clear......	86	94	[illegible]
Savannah, clear	80	92	[illegible]
Jacksonville, clear	86	90	T
Jupiter, rain	78	88	[illegible]
Key West, clear..	84	90	[illegible]
Atlanta, cloudy	82	93	[illegible]
Tampa, rain..	74	92	1.10
Montgomery, clear	88	94	[illegible]
Vicksburg, clear..	88	94	[illegible]
New Orleans, clear	82	90	[illegible]
Port Eads, cloudy	84	86	[illegible]
Palestine, clear	88	94	[illegible]
Galveston, clear..	84	88	[illegible]
Corpus Christi, clear	84	86	[illegible]
Buffalo, clear....	60	68	[illegible]
Detroit, clear	68	70	[illegible]
Chicago, part cloudy	74	74	[illegible]
Memphis clear	90	92	[illegible]
Chattanooga, cloudy	88	96	[illegible]
Knoxville, clear	84	98	[illegible]
Cincinnati, cloudy	88	95	T
St. Paul, part cloudy	78	80	[illegible]
St. Louis, part cloudy	96	102	[illegible]
Kansas City, clear	92	98	[illegible]
Omaha, part cloudy	92	98	[illegible]
Huron, part lcoudy	76	78	T
Rapid City, clear	70	74	[illegible]
North Platte, clear	80	88	[illegible]
Dodge City, clear	88	98	[illegible]
Abilene, clear	92	96	[illegible]
Mobile, clear	82	92	[illegible]

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